

## BULLETINS

Phoenixville, Pa., April 9 (P)—One of three mentally ill army patients who escaped from a locked ward at the army's Valley Forge general hospital gave himself up today.

The hospital identified the returned patient as John Zoltok, 28, (address unavailable) who was still dressed in the blue corduroy convalescent suit he and his companions wore when they fled last night.

Washington, April 9 (P)—President Truman explored the economic problems of rising prices during an hour and 40-minute cabinet session today, but the White House announced afterward "no action was taken or is planned."

Washington, April 9 (P)—The House committee on un-American activities voted unanimously today to cite Eugene Dennis, Communist party secretary, for contempt after he failed to respond to a subpoena.

Washington, April 9 (P)—Trustees of the United Mine Workers Welfare Fund today established a \$1,000 death benefit payment for the family of each bituminous coal miner belonging to the union.

The death benefit payments were made retroactive to last June 1, and thus the families of the 111 victims of the recent Centralia, Ill., disaster will be among those aided at once.

Washington, April 9 (P)—A crack in the telephone strike deadlock was reported possible within hours today as negotiations went on with day and night sessions.

Persons in close touch with the negotiations on long distance lines phases of the national dispute said the only obstacle to a strike-settling agreement for that industry segment was:

Who will pay the cost of arbitrating about five issues between American and Telegraph company's long distance division and the American union of telephone workers.

Moscow, April 9 (P)—U. S. Secretary of State Marshall proposed today that the council of foreign ministers name a special boundary commission to recommend a permanent German-Polish frontier. The commission would be composed of the United States, Britain, Russia and France, plus Poland and some other allied states.

Harrisburg, April 9 (P)—A packed gallery and crowded Senate chamber heard spokesmen today protest Governor James H. Duff's \$123,000, 000 tax program to the Senate Finance committee—with attack centered on proposed levies on soft drinks and tobacco.

Phillipsburg, Pa., April 9 (P)—One of the largest manhunts ever organized in this central Pennsylvania area continued relentlessly today as searchers refused to give up hopes of finding four-year-old Jimmy Hensler alive.

Red-eyed, weary searchers stumbled out of the mountain section in the dawn after an all-night search for the second consecutive night and were rapidly replaced by scores of fresh volunteers.

Washington, April 9 (P)—Owners of the seized soft coal mines accuse John L. Lewis today of engineering a "deliberate and premeditated" new strike by his United Mine Workers in defiance of federal courts. The Justice Department kept secret its own view pending another appearance by Lewis tomorrow before the judge who plastered him and the UMW with fines totaling \$3,510,000 for violating a no-strike order last December.

Washington, April 9 (P)—The Interstate Commerce Commission said today the Pennsylvania railroad's "Red Arrow" appeared to have been traveling at twice its authorized speed when it wrecked near Altoona, Pa., on February 18. Twenty-four persons were killed and 128 others injured in the accident. The mishap occurred on a downgrade curve where, the commission's investigation reported, the maximum speed was between 30 and 35 miles an hour. The train was drawn by two locomotives and the commission said that when they left the tracks and overturned the speed was "estimated to have been in excess of 65 miles an hour."

## Stork Wins Race

### With Ambulance

The stork won its race with the Taneytown ambulance enroute to the Warner hospital Tuesday evening when a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Miller, Westminster R. 4, in the ambulance at 9:30 o'clock in Littlestown.

Dr. L. L. Potter, Littlestown, assisted in the delivery. The mother and child, who were later admitted to the Warner hospital, are reported to be doing nicely.

### LAYMEN TO MEET

The Religious Laymen's association of Gettysburg will meet Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the YWCA, Theodore U. Geiman, secretary, announced today. Representatives from every religious organization in the community are asked to be present for the session.

### SPORTSMEN TO MEET

The April meeting of the Adams County Fish and Game association will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Martin's shoe store on Baltimore street. The president, George R. Martin, will preside.

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## \$952 NEEDED TO ATTAIN R.C. CAMPAIGN FUND

With only \$952.35 needed to reach its goal of \$12,440, the Adams county Red Cross today was urging solicitors to make a final check of the persons on their lists and was considering asking those who feel they can make an additional contribution to get in touch with the solicitor who had previously collected from them.

A number of donations were received Tuesday bringing the amount contributed thus far to \$11,487.65.

Among the contributions was \$101.10 from the New Chester district. Among the collectors reporting were Harman Millhimes, \$14; Glenn Cooley, \$41; Larry Racey, \$4.10; George Noel, \$4.25; Edwin Trimmer, \$16.50; William Millhimes, \$7.50; John Shultz, \$10.75 and Shirley Millhimes, \$3.

### Other Donations

A \$25 donation was received from the St. John's Reformed Sunday school of New Chester. Other contributors included: Sunday School class of Hampton Lutheran church, \$5; Mite Society of the New Chester Reformed church, \$5; Youth Fellowship of St. John's Sunday School class of New Chester, \$5; Mothers' Class of St. James Lutheran Sunday School here \$10; Trilogy club, \$5.

A \$50 donation from the business district was received and Judith White, collector in the Guilds and Granite vicinity turned in \$38. Mrs. Roy Gifford, one of the district solicitors, turned in \$9 and Mrs. Eugene Williams, second ward canvasser, reported \$25.25.

A few solicitors in the upper part of the county have not as yet reported, Red Cross officials said, and it was believed that possibly \$200 to \$300 will be turned in within the next day or two.

However, it was added, an extra effort will probably have to be made to reach the quota.

## SOROPTIMISTS

### PLAN FAREWELL FOR 2 MEMBERS

The board of directors of the Soroptimist club in session at the Hotel Eberhart Tuesday night voted a \$5 contribution to the Gettysburg Recreation Board, accepted with regrets the resignation of Mrs. Floriana Fowler and made plans for the next quarter's work.

The regular monthly business meeting of the club followed, with 23 members present. Mrs. Samuel H. Ingham reported that her committee had audited the accounts of Mrs. Elizabeth Hennig, treasurer, from July 1, 1946 to March 11, 1947, and that the books had been turned over to Miss Esther Hartman who was recently appointed to fill Mrs. Hennig's unexpired term. The group accepted an invitation from the Hanover club to attend their birthday dinner on April 24.

The club's April session will be a "Bon Voyage" dinner at the Hotel Gettysburg in honor of Mrs. Hennig and Miss Julia Peters who are going to Hawaii for several months. The committee in charge comprises Mrs. Frederic Griest, Miss Virginia Myers, Mrs. Milo Gallinger, Mrs. Henrietta Blocher, Mrs. Violet Hill and Mrs. Maurice Kane. Mrs. Kay Fitch, Harrisburg, will be the speaker and reservations must be made with Mrs. Hill before noon of Saturday, April 19.

### Send Aid To France

Mrs. Guyon E. Buehler, president, Mrs. Griest, vice president, Miss Evelyn Altoff and Mrs. Brenda Walker will represent the club at the spring conference of the North Atlantic Region to be held in York (Please Turn to Page Two)

## SERVICES ARE WELL ATTENDED

The evangelistic meetings which are now in progress at the Friends' Grove church of the Brethren, with the Rev. Jesse W. Whitacre of Keyser, W. Va., as evangelist, are well attended.

The opening service on Monday evening drew almost a capacity attendance. The South Mountain Singers of near Hantsdale, provided the special music. The opening message by the evangelist was, "When Can We Expect a Revival?" In this message the messenger emphasized that the great need of the world is a revival, a turning back to God and the things and ways of God. He stressed the fact that this must come through the change of the individual heart. Tuesday, the Rev. Whitacre spoke on the theme: "The Master of All Things."

Tonight the Rev. Mr. Whitacre will speak on the theme, "Can the Church Survive?" The special music will be presented by a ladies' quartet. There will be a story for the children.

## 4 Police May Have To Take New Exams

Borough council Monday night, at its meeting in the engine house, directed that a letter be sent to the Civil Service Commission, requesting an eligible list for appointment of two men to fill vacancies on the police department.

The commission recently reorganized, with Dr. Walter S. Mount as chairman. Vacancies on the police department are those caused by the resignations of C. William Zhea and Clark W. Staley.

Borough Solicitor Eugene V. Bulleit, in reply to a question by Councilman H. M. Oyler, said he thought all members of the department except Charles W. Culp, Jr., would have to take the examination.

Chief of Police Robert C. Harpster and Patrolmen Albert L. Wolford, Kenneth Tawney and Paul Shealer have not taken an examination. They joined the department during the war emergency.

## Littlestown

### ANNIVERSARY OF CHURCH TO BE OBSERVED

The Two Hundredth Anniversary celebration of Christ Reformed church near Littlestown, will be held April 27, April 30, May 1, May 2, and May 4. The opening service will be held Sunday, April 27, at 10:30 a. m. The sermon will be given by Rev. Dr. Charles E. Schaeffer, general secretary of the Board of Home Missions of the Reformed church in the United States from June 1, 1908, to February 1, 1941, and since then secretary emeritus. He will also speak at the evening service at 7:30 o'clock, when "Community Night" will be observed. Rev. Frank E. Reynolds, president of the Littlestown Ministerium, will also give an address. The churches of Littlestown have been invited to worship at this service and the ministers of Littlestown will assist in the service.

On Wednesday, April 30, at 7:30 p. m., "Former Pastor and Organizational Night" will be held. The sermon will be given by a former pastor, Rev. Dr. H. H. Hartman, Royersford. There will be a reunion of the Catechumens confirmed by Doctor Hartman during his pastorate here. They will sit together in a reserved section of the church.

Thursday, May 1, at 7:30 o'clock, "Sons' Night" will be observed. The sermon will be given by the Rev. Alvin J. Forry, East Berlin, and an address will be given by Rev. Harvey S. Shue, Baltimore. Special music will be furnished by the Edward J. Gobrecht Family, Hanover.

Other Special Services Friday, May 2, "Former Gettysburg Classis Night" will be held. (Please Turn to Page Two)

## PRESBYTERIANS TO MEET FRIDAY

Representatives of the Women's Missionary societies of the Gettysburg Lower Marsh Creek and Great Conewago Presbyterian churches are expected to attend the twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbytery of Carlisle Friday in the Second Presbyterian church of Carlisle. Morning, afternoon and evening sessions will be held.

Principal speaker for the sessions will be Miss Mary S. Hooper, secretary for the eastern area of the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian church in the USA. Miss Henrietta W. Sharp, president, will preside.

At the morning session Mrs. Ira Henderson, Fairfield, will be one of the speakers during the reports from the Department of World Service. She will speak on the Presbyterian homes at Carlisle and Newville.

Society officers will present their reports and the annual election of officers will be conducted during the afternoon meeting. Their installation will follow.

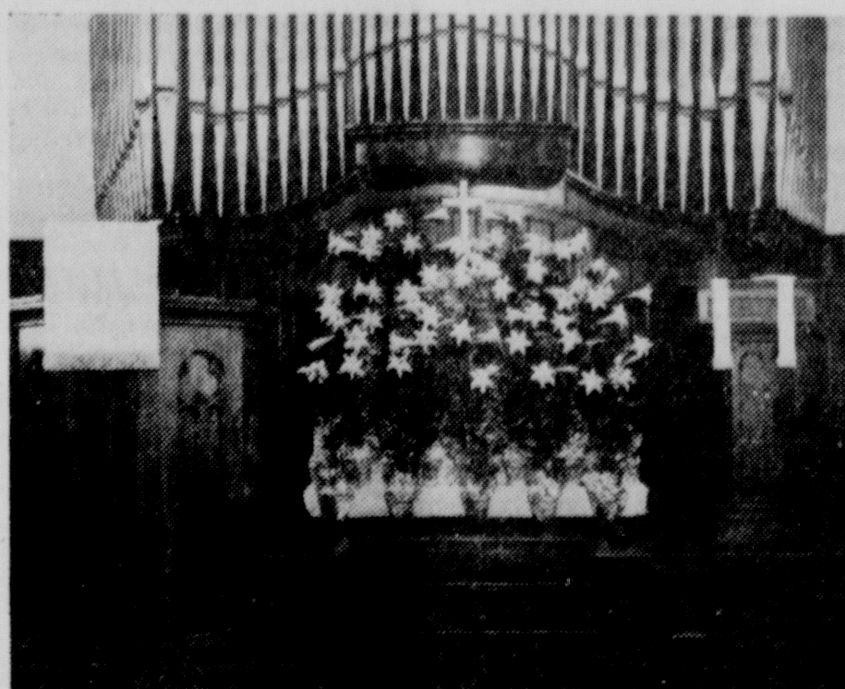
Miss Hooper, who has had a wide experience in social and religious work and has been with the Board of National Missions for the last four years, was a delegate to the world-wide conference of Christian Youth at Amsterdam in 1939. She will speak in the morning and afternoon and will deliver the closing address of the meeting in the evening.

Afternoon and evening addresses will also be made by Miss Flora Zarco, of Manila, Philippine Islands, a student at the Westminster Choir school. She is appearing as a substitute for Miss Harriet Chu, a worker in the Chinese community church in Washington, who is ill and unable to attend the meeting.

### Weather Forecast

Partly cloudy and slightly cooler tonight. Thursday fair and slightly warmer.

## Potted Plants Honor Memory Of Deceased Church Members



Thirty-four individual pots of lilies graced the altar at the local Methodist church Easter Sunday in memory of deceased members of the church, providing what parishioners said was the most beautiful effect ever seen in the church.

The Easter Sunday feature is to be an annual affair. Last year when the placing of lilies as a memorial was inaugurated 23 individual pots were placed, the Rev. Floyd A. Carroll, minister of the church, said today.

Deceased members of the parish whose memory was honored include: Henry W. Albright, Russell K. Brumbaugh, W. A. Burgoon, George Cassatt, George Sando Clapsaddle, Mrs. Charles Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Drum, Samuel Fleming

and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Madison A. Garvin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert, Rev. George M. Glenn and daughters, Sarah and Elizabeth Glenn, Rev. and Mrs. Thomas McGee Griffith, Mrs. Helen H. Hendrix, C. Gene Hess, Miss Anne Hollebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Lentz, Mrs. Minnie Markley, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin W. Mitten and Chester A. Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jefferson Myers, Wesley I. Oyler, Donald Omar Price, Mrs. Ralph Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Remmel, Maurice Ridinger, George Schriver and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Tawney, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren, Mrs. G. V. L. Wickerham, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. David Yingling, Emory Zepp.

## LET CONTRACT FOR BRIDGE IN ADAMS COUNTY

The Department of Highways has awarded a contract for construction of a new I-Beam bridge over Marsh Creek, in Highland township, to Frank L. Grant, West Chester, at a low bid of \$48,462.52.

Grade and alignment of the approaches will be changed to improve sight distance. The contract also calls for the construction of 33 of a mile of macadam approaches. The new bridge will replace a covered timber structure which presently is posted for legal load limits of only one ton. It will consist of two 40-foot spans and have a roadway of 24 feet.

Approaches will be graded for a width of 24 feet and surfaced with macadam 14 feet wide. The approaches will have a base of eight inches of crushed stone and a two inch bituminous surface. The approaches to the existing bridge were surfaced in 1932.

### Remove Old Bridge

The new structure will be located a short distance north of the existing covered bridge. The approaches will be constructed on land owned by Maurice P. Trostle.

The new bridge will require 72,800 pounds of structural steel. The existing bridge will be removed. The project is between the Lincoln Highway and Knoxlyn.

During construction of the approaches a detour will be provided for through traffic. Two-way traffic will be maintained except around construction operations. The detour, when established, will be over U. S. 39 to Cashtown, thence over Rural Route 01001 to Traffic Route 116.

Bids for the improvement were opened by the department on March 28. The project will be financed entirely with state funds. Grant was low of five bidders for the work.

## MOTOR CHARGES FILED BY COPS

Daniel L. Yingling, Gettysburg R. 1, has been charged by state police before Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore with failing to properly execute a certificate of title at the time of sale of a motor vehicle. A similar charge has been laid by state police against Ellis Smith, Gettysburg, also before Justice Baschore.

Samuel C. Shull, Gettysburg R. 4, has been charged by state police before Justice John Hinkle, York Springs R. D., with misuse of dealer's plates.

A charge of failing to display an inspection sticker on a trailer has been filed by state police against Hudson Hughes, Harrisburg, before Justice William Dentler, Cashtown. Truman Geiman, Hanover, has been charged before Justice Gerald Orndorff, Oxford township, by state police, with driving an overweight truck.

## Jacob A. Stock Is 94 Years Old Today

Jacob A. Stock, North Washington street, longtime Gettysburg shoemaker and one of the borough's elder citizens, today celebrated his 94th birthday.

The nonagenarian was discharged from the Warner hospital last week after a two-month period in which he was operated upon for a hernia. It was his second operation since reaching the age of 90. Four years ago he suffered a ruptured appendix and went to the hospital for the first time in his life.

In good health today he had hoped to be the first customer of a grandson, Dr. Joseph H. Riley, who was to have opened his dental office on Chambersburg street today. Mr. Stock planned to have an x-ray of his teeth just to see if there is any need for some work on them. The proposed trip however was postponed this morning because of the inclement weather.

## PRESBYTERIAN GUILD INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

The Women's Service Guild of the Presbyterian church installed its recently-elected officers and circle leaders at the April meeting of the organization Tuesday evening at the church. At the same time the new circle membership lists were announced. About 50 women attended.

The following officers were installed by Mrs. Robert M. Hunt: President, Miss Ruth McIlhenny; first vice president, Mrs. Richard A. Brown; second vice president, Mrs. Edmund W. Thomas; secretary, Mrs. Harold Carbaugh; corresponding secretary, Mrs. David Deitch; treasurer, Mrs. Paul Ketterman, and historian, Mrs. Daniel Paddock.

The new president then announced the new chairmen and co-chairmen for the four circles who also were installed. The circle leaders follow: Circle No. 1, Mrs. C. Ross Shuman and Mrs. E. Donald Scott; Circle No. 2, Mrs. Wayne Keet and Mrs. Walter Africa; Circle No. 3, Mrs. Robert Ditchburn and Mrs. Druid Deitch, and Circle No. 4, Mrs. Frank L. Hewitson and Mrs. J. Allen Dickson.

### Plan Activities

Committees were appointed and reports were received from the retiring leaders of the circles. Mrs. E. Donald Scott, a retiring vice president, presided until after the new officers were installed.

Plans were made to serve refreshments after the annual congregational meeting next Monday evening by this committee of volunteers: Mrs. Mark Johns and Miss Martha Neely, co-chairmen; Mrs. Ditchburn, Mrs. Anna Bracey, Mrs. Paddock, Mrs. Druid Deitch and Mrs. C. H. Heldt.

The next Guild meeting will be held May 13 in connection with a covered dish supper. A Junior Service Guild will be organized that evening and circle duties for the year will be assigned.

A meeting of the executive board (Please Turn to Page 7)

## Woman, 94, Breaks Right Wrist In Fall

Mrs. Elizabeth Crebs, 94, Taneytown, was admitted to the Warner hospital Tuesday evening at 9:45 o'clock following a fall at her home in which she suffered a fractured right wrist.

Other admissions include Mrs. Harry Klingman, Taneytown; Mrs. Victor Hemler, 333 Baltimore street; Mrs. Robert W. Miller and infant son, Westminster R. 4; Mrs. Clarence Shorb, Emmitsburg; Mrs. Samuel Cook, Westminster R. 2; Fred Thomas, 39 Baltimore street, and Mrs. Clarence Shultz, Taneytown R. 1. Mrs. George L. Dickson, 512 York street, and Mrs. Alice Balmer, Emmitsburg, have been discharged.

## Fire Company To Meet This Evening

Members of the Gettysburg Fire company's special committee appointed to consider purchase of a 65-foot aerial truck, will meet tonight, following the regular meeting of the fire company in the engine house, with L. R. Byler, Philadelphia headquarters representative of the American LaFrance Foamite company of Elmira, William G. Weaver is chairman of the committee. There will be refreshments after the regular meeting which will convene at 7:30 o'clock.

### SELL FARM

Raymond J. Schaier and Amelia M. Schaier, Richmond Hill, Long Island, have sold their 41-acre farm located in Mt. Joy township, to Frederick K. Kolak, New Hyde Park, Long Island. Possession will be given April 22. The sale was made through John C. Bream.

## County Health Unit Will Meet Monday

A general invitation was extended today to representatives of all fraternal, social, veterans, service and similar clubs and interested individuals to attend a meeting of the Advisory Health Council for Adams county to be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the office of the county superintendent of schools in the court house.

The Advisory health council is to be formed in fulfillment of Legislative act 426 which provides for the setting up of such an organization to follow up on the medical and dental examinations given in schools in the county so far this year.

### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Rev. and Mrs. Frederick B. Crane, Hazleton, announce the birth of a son, Robert Meredith, on April 5. The Cranes formerly resided in Gettysburg for about six years in the Rev. Mr. Crane was pastor of the Gettysburg Presbyterian church. The Cranes also have two daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cook, Westminster R. 2, announce the birth of a son at the Warner hospital Tuesday afternoon.

## Staley Pleads 'Not Guilty' At Preliminary Hearing; No Plea From Simmons Tuesday

## Leo Durocher Is Suspended For '47 Season

Cincinnati, April 9 (P)—Leo Durocher, manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers in the National League, today was suspended for the 1947 season by Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler.

Chuck Dresen, former coach of the Dodgers and now a member of the New York Yankee coaching staff, was suspended for 30 days beginning April 15.

The Brooklyn club and the New York Yankee club each was fined \$2,000.

Harold Parrott, traveling secretary of the Brooklyn team, was fined \$500.

The actions were taken as a result of an investigation made by Chandler after Larry MacPhail of the New York American League club brought charges of defamation against Durocher and Branch Rickey, head of the Brooklyn club.

### MacPhail Cleared

The commissioner found that two alleged gamblers were not sitting in a box with MacPhail during a recent baseball game in Havana.

Dresen's suspension, it developed, was the result of his leaving the Dodger club to work for the Yankees. Chandler said he was convinced that the coach had agreed to remain with Rickey for two more years, although no formal contract had been signed.

"Durocher has not measured up to the standards expected or required of managers of our baseball teams," Chandler said in his finding.

"As a result of the accumulated unpleasant incidents in which he has been involved, which the commissioner construes as detrimental to baseball, Manager Durocher is hereby suspended from participating in professional baseball for the 1947 season."

## HARPSTER DOG FOUND; SHOT

Chief of Police Robert C. Harpster's dog is home again, after being "lost" since Sunday, but slightly the worse off for a 22-calibre bullet through the hips, the chief said today.

The dog, "Buster," was found at the Sanders' home, in the rear of Steinwehr avenue, Tuesday afternoon, after its loss had been reported in The Gettysburg Times. Mrs. Sanders and the Sanders children had been caring for the wounded dog.

Harpster filed an information before Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore charging Richard E. Dutera, Queen street, with cruelty to animals and shooting a firearm within the borough.

Dutera was arrested Tuesday night by Borough Police Officer Paul B. Shealer and Constable George Hughes on a warrant issued by the squire, and posted \$125 bail on the two charges for a hearing at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

## Harner To Direct Band At Festival

Paul A. Harner, Hanover, director of the Gettysburg college band, will be the guest conductor of the 50-piece band at the Festival of Music of the York County schools in William Penn Senior high school, York, on May 2.

A frequent performer in programs of the Pennsylvania Bandmasters association, Mr. Harner has appeared with such men as Dr. Herbert L. Clark, Dr. Frank Simon, Dr. Edwin Franko Goldman and Maj. George S. Howard. Five high school bands in Adams county were organized by him. One of these has won five state contests in the Pennsylvania Forensic and Music league. The New Oxford high school band, organized by Mr. Harner, won a first division rating in the National band concert of 1941.

## Mother Club Seeks Funds For School

Final plans for a public party to be held by the Mothers' club of St. Francis Xavier Catholic school on Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the school basement were completed Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the club.

A general invitation to all to attend was extended. The program is being conducted to raise money for school purposes by the Mothers' club.

Good Evening  
Lookout trout, here come the anglers. . . April 15.

Ray H. Simmons and Robert L. Staley were held for April court without bail on a charge of "feloniously, wilfully, of malice aforethought killing and murdering" Herbert L. Humpert, 79-year-old Tyrone township farmer, following a 20-minute hearing Tuesday afternoon before Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore.

Attorney Eugene V. Bulleit, named by the court Saturday to represent Staley said his client entered a plea of "not guilty" to the charge. Attorney Brown said his client "makes no plea."

One Witness Only one witness, Cpl. Lodwick Jenkins of the Pennsylvania State Police, who laid the charge appeared before the justice. He was interrogated by District Attorney J. Francis Yake, Jr., and told of going to the scene of the death on March 26 and of later being told by Simmons and Staley the details of how they went to the Humpert home with intent to rob the elderly man and how Simmons beat the farmer with his fist and a hammer.

The hammer which Jenkins said Staley had told him was the murder weapon was shown as the only exhibit.

### Prisoners Silent

The charge against the two Cumberland county men was not read. Justice Baschore asked if the two wished it read to them and attorneys speaking for them said they waived the reading of the charge.

Neither of the men spoke from the time they came into Justice Baschore's office handcuffed to sheriff's office officials until after the hearing. Then Simmons' father, Samuel Simmons, Mechanicsburg R. 1, came up to him and said "Hello, Ray." With Simmons' attorney, Richard A. Brown, taking part in the conversation, the father, son and Sheriff John E. Millhimes to whom the younger Simmons was handcuffed, spoke in low tones for a few moments. Their conversation was inaudible to others in the room. Simmons' brother was also in the room during the hearing, but he remained near a door and was not observed to speak to the defendant at any time.

### Hearing Delayed

The hearing, scheduled for two o'clock Tuesday afternoon began about ten minute late, with the group waiting for the arrival of Attorneys Brown and Donald M. Swope, who have been retained by Simmons. They arrived with Simmons' father and brother and the hearing began.

Spencer McKinney, neighbor of Humpert, who first found the dead (Please Turn to Page 7)

## Babes Born Monday To Double-Wedding Brides Of Last June

Sons were born Monday to two couples who were united in marriage in a double wedding ceremony performed last June 27 in the rectory of St. Francis Xavier Catholic church by the Rev. Mark Stock.

A six-pound 12-ounce son was born Monday morning at 4:33 o'clock to Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Little, 49 Steinwehr avenue, and Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock an eight-pound 11-ounce boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. James J. Dillman, 210 West Middle street. Mothers and sons are reported doing nicely.

## Girls Invited To Join Softball Team

All grade school and high school girls in Gettysburg under 18 years of age interested in softball and volleyball were invited today by the Junior Police club to attend a meeting of the club Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock in the Lincoln school.

Plans for a recreation program for girls this summer will be discussed, Borough Police Officer Albert L. Wolford, advisor to the club said. An invitation was also extended to representatives of various organizations interested in juvenile work to attend the meeting.

Work was begun Tuesday evening in grading the Codori lot for the junior police baseball diamond, and it is hoped to have the field ready for practice by the end of the week. Wolford said, Borough highway department equipment was used, including a grader. A strip 200 feet in width between Stevens and Barlow streets was graded Tuesday night.

### AT LODGE MEETING

C. A. Heiges, representative of Gettysburg Lodge No. 124, to the Odd Fellows home at Middletown, is attending the annual meeting at the home today. Mr. Heiges was accompanied as far as Harrisburg by his daughter, Edith, and Mrs. Fred Hummelbaugh.



## SOROPTIMISTS

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April 12 and 13, Mrs. Clyde Daley, Post-War Activities chairman, reported that two packages of food and one of clothing had been sent to France during the month. Upon her recommendation the club voted to purchase a chair for the club's sun room at Valley Forge General Hospital. Mrs. C. T. Ziegler gave the report of the nominating committee which will be voted upon at the May meeting. The President reported that Miss Gloria Ecker, first winner of the club's Helen L. Cope award, was on the dean's honor list at Gettysburg College. The second winner, Miss Betty Leeming, recently had her picture in the "The Pennsylvania Club Woman" for outstanding activities. The monthly drawing for gift was won by Mrs. Curtis Flohr.

**Mrs. Griest Speaks**  
Mrs. Griest, vice president of the G. M. W. Orchard company and manager of the Prickett estate, spoke on her classification of Horticulture. She stated that her parents' home in Quaker Valley in which she was raised was built in 1882 by her grandfather, Jesse W. Griest. It was in the form of a square with an L attachment which was the first canning factory in Adams county. Mr. Griest came from the flat plains of New Jersey and she stated "the planted fruit trees so he and his stock wouldn't fall off the side of the mountains which were so unusual to them." She explained the work of growing and selling peaches and apples and their later development of Christmas trees. She discussed the bunkhouse which they maintain for the use of "drifters" who follow the seasons up and down the country and appear in this county during the fruit season. She gave many interesting accounts of experiences with these seasonal workers.

In the selling end of the business she said that it was a problem to educate the public on how to buy fruit; that it took a great deal of patience; that women are more difficult customers than men; and that truck drivers are the easiest people to sell to as "they know what they want and are very courteous in transacting their purchases." She displayed samples of "peach leather" which she makes and also exhibited a locket and a pair of ear rings, carved in the shape of monkeys from peach stones, which were presented to her by one of her annual customers who carved them with a small knife.

## Report Increases In College Drive

Donations and pledges by business places and residents of Gettysburg and Adams county to the Gettysburg college expansion fund total \$50,155, according to figures released today by Ralph Minker, representative of Ward, Wells and Dreshman, in charge of the drive. This was an increase of \$1,303.55 over the last total reported.

The grand total reported for the campaign was \$305,425, an increase of \$6,016 over the last figure given. An office will remain open in Hotel Gettysburg for an indefinite period where donations and contributions may be made.

## Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. W. E. Roth, Carlisle street, will be host to the Culvert club Thursday, April 17.

Miss Eloise Coffelt, a student nurse at Frankford hospital, Philadelphia, has resumed her duties after spending Easter at the home of her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Coffelt, Gettysburg R. 2.

Senior Regent Margaret Bender presided at a regular meeting of the Women of the Moose Tuesday evening. Officers' Chapter Night was held and several committees gave reports. Anyone having donations for the rummage sale is asked to bring the material to the fire engine house Thursday, April 17, or to the Moose home on York street.

A meeting of the Adams County Girl Scout board was held Tuesday evening at St. James Lutheran church and from reports made it was indicated that girl scouting activities in the county will flourish. Tentative plans for a county-wide drive for funds were discussed. William Snyder, Jr., New Oxford, chairman of finance, will head the drive. Workers will be appointed for various sections throughout the county.

Miss Mary Grove, Lincolnway west, spent a day recently with Miss Esther Royer, Carlisle.

The Rev. Howard J. McCarty, chaplain at Gettysburg college, will be the guest speaker at the spring meeting of the Chambersburg Sub-League of the Woman's League of Gettysburg college on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in Trinity Lutheran church, Chambersburg.

Harold Anderson, New York city, is visiting Chief of Police and Mrs. Robert C. Harpster of Baltimore street.

The Campus club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. C. Waltemyer, Springs avenue. The associate hostesses include Mrs. Robert A. Bream, Mrs. C. Paul Cessna, Mrs. Thomas L. Cline, Mrs. Denham, Mrs. Herbert Hamme, Mrs. Kioetzi, Dr. Bertha Paulsen, Mrs. Dwight F. Putnam and Mrs. George Steckel.

Miss Anne Gaines has returned to Frederick to resume her studies at Hood college after spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gaines, Baltimore street.

The Rev. and Mrs. Robert E. Horne and son, William Clayton and daughter Susan Virginia, of Sellersville, arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Rone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman W. Storrick, West Lincoln avenue. They expect to return home Saturday.

Miss Anne Gilliland, Carlisle street, has returned from a visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris, of Punxsutawney.

William Keefeauver has resumed his studies at Pennsylvania State college after the Easter recess which he spent with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. Keefeauver, Springs avenue.

Miss Carolyn Blocher has resumed her studies at Hood college, Frederick, after the Easter vacation spent with her mother, Mrs. David Blocher, West Middle street.

Miss Mollie Rice, who was with her mother, Mrs. Olive Rice, Gettysburg R. D., over the Easter holidays, has resumed her studies at Pennsylvania State college.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Waltemyer, Springs avenue, have returned from a visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. James Smith, of Charleston, South Carolina. They were accompanied on the visit by their daughters, the Misses Grace Virginia and Jean Waltemyer.

Miss Blanche Stoops has resumed her teaching at Ardmore after spending the Easter recess with her mother, Mrs. Daniel Stoops, Gettysburg R. D.

The Friday Literary club will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Church of the Abiding Presence with Dr. A. R. Wentz in charge of the program. Following the program a social hour will be held at the home of Mrs. Ralph D. Heim.

Mrs. Robert A. Bream entertained the members of the Scutellbutt club Tuesday evening at her home on the Biglerville road with Mrs. Guile W. Lefever and Mrs. Clyde Cole as additional guests. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. A. S. Kunkel, West Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Bierer had as guests over the week-end at their home on East Middle street their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nastaly, Washington, D. C., and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bierer, and son, Stephen, Baltimore.

Mrs. John C. Hollinger and daughter, Sue, Baltimore street, have returned from Richmond, Va., where they spent the Easter week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Wentz have

## Engagements

Wahl-Eckert

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Eckert, East Middle street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris Virginia, to Louis Philip Wahl, Jr., Germantown.

Miss Eckert attended Gettysburg high school and is a graduate of Thompson's Business college, York. She is now employed as an operator at the local telephone exchange.

Mr. Wahl served as an ensign in the navy and is now a senior at Mt. St. Mary's college, Emmitsburg, where he was a member of the V-12 unit in 1943-44. He graduated from Central high school for Boys, Philadelphia, and attended LaSalle college, Philadelphia, and Harvard University, Boston, Mass.

No wedding plans have been announced.

Herr-Danner

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Danner, East Berlin, announced the engagement of their daughter, Alma Mae, to Allen H. Herr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Herr, Hanover, at a buffet supper Saturday evening at the Danner home. About 30 guests were present. No date has been set for the wedding.

## Weddings

Barnhart-Trace

Miss Lois Juanita Trace, daughter of John A. Trace, and the late Mrs. Trace, of Waynesboro, became the bride of Donald J. Barnhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Barnhart, Waynesboro, in a wedding Monday afternoon at four o'clock in the Otterbein United Brethren church, Waynesboro.

Mrs. Barnhart is a graduate of the Waynesboro high school with the class of 1945 and of the Wilfred Academy of Beauty Culture in Philadelphia. She is employed in the Ruth Baker Beauty Shoppe.

Her husband graduated from the Waynesboro high school in 1944 and then attended Gettysburg college, where he was affiliated with Sigma Chi fraternity. Since his service with the Army Air Corps for 18 months, he has been employed at the Landis Tool company, Waynesboro.

## East Berlin VFW Post Will Meet

The next meeting of East Berlin's recently organized Richard Gross post No. 8896, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will take place Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the borough's fire hall. One matter to be discussed is the forming of the post's softball team for the next season.

The post, organized in February, has been named in memory of Richard J. Gross, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Eli J. Gross, East Berlin borough's first Gold Star hero, who was killed in action in the South Pacific theatre of operation in September 1943, at the age of 24.

These officers have been chosen to direct it: Commander, David C. Kroust; senior vice commander, Raymond L. Hoffman, Jr.; junior vice commander, Edgar A. Baker; quartermaster, Irwin H. Gross (a brother of Richard); adjutant, Paul Fahs; chaplain, Victor A. Galtfeiter; three-year trustee, Paul Lerew, Jr.; two-year trustee, Kenneth H. Darone; one-year trustee, Gilbert Berkheimer; surgeon, Dr. Leon Roos; guard, Lloyd Chronister; officer of the day, Clarence Horn, Jr., and publicity man, John R. Wisler.

Anyone of the East Berlin area who has served overseas in either World War is requested to attend the next meeting.

## Commandery Heads Are Installed Here

Officers of the Sixteenth Division of the Knights Templar of Pennsylvania, which includes commanderies in York, Columbia, Hanover and Gettysburg, were installed Monday evening at the local Masonic temple, W. Preston Hull, Chambersburg street, read the list of elected and appointed officers, who included Ray J. Kitzmiller, the Gettysburg commander.

Robert T. Whitehouse, York, was in charge of the installation. Guyon E. Buehler, of the Gettysburg Commandery was among those who received past commanders' jewels. For the Gettysburg Commandery the elected officers are George T. Raffensperger, generalissimo; Harman H. Spence, captain general; Martin W. Klinefelter, treasurer and Charles W. Myers, recorder.

## FILE CODE CHARGE

A ten-day notice will be sent by Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder to Lawrence A. Stover, 514 York street, charged by state police of the Gettysburg sub-station with driving to the left side of the highway on Route 30 in Cumberland township April 5.

as guests at their home on the seminary campus Mrs. Wentz sister, Mrs. M. L. Clare, and Mrs. W. T. Balsiger, Apollo.

Mrs. L. K. Musselman and son, Luther, Jr., New Haven, Conn., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Musselman, Valley Stream, N. Y., spent the last few days with Elmer Musselman and daughter, Mary, 247 Baltimore street.

## DEATHS

James R. Shuman

James R. Shuman, 61, of 170 West King street, Chambersburg, a core-maker at the Wolf company shops for the past 40 years, was pronounced dead at the Chambersburg hospital, where he was taken Tuesday morning at 6:30 after he had collapsed while en route to his employment.

Deputy Coroner Frank J. Corbett, of Fayetteville, ordered the body removed to the Sellers funeral home and indicated that he would conduct an investigation.

Shuman, it was learned had returned to his employment at the Wolf company only Monday after being off duty for some time because of a heart ailment.

Chambersburg police, responding to a call from a man who had seen Mr. Shuman fall, took the stricken man to the hospital in the police cruiser. Patrolman Herbert P. Metz was accompanied by Raymond Myers.

Mr. Shuman was born on April 1, 1886, in Chambersburg. He was the son of the late William A. and Susan Leberknicht Shuman.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Nora A. Shuman, two daughters, Mrs. Roger Long, of Littlestown and Mrs. Charles Williams, Chambersburg, and one son, G. Mervin Shuman, of Wilmington, Del.; four brothers, Dr. George H. Shuman, of Pittsburgh, William J. Shuman, Charles B., and John S., all of Chambersburg, and five grandchildren.

The Rev. W. Wilson Carvell will conduct funeral services at Sellers funeral home at 2 p. m. on Friday. Burial in Lincoln cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening from 7 until 9 o'clock.

## Wright Services Held

Funeral services for Mrs. Myrtle V. Wright, 69, of Aspers, widow of T. Frank Wright, were held this afternoon from the late home at 2 p. m., Dr. O. D. Coble, Bendersville Lutheran charge, officiating. The burial was in Floralda cemetery.

The pallbearers were Harry Gulden, Charles Gulden, Oscar Baughen, Clair Dull, Arthur Cook and Isaac Ripley. Mrs. Wright died Friday morning at her home of a heart condition.

## Donald Edward Jackson

Donald Edward Jackson, four-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jackson, rear of 123 Breckenridge street, died at 7 a. m. today of complications.

Besides the parents, a sister, Nancy, at home, a half brother, Walter Dorsey and a grandmother, Mrs. Lottie Cooper, survive.

Funeral services will be held from the home of the parents Friday morning at 10 o'clock, the Rev. R. M. Everette officiating. Interment will be in the Elks' cemetery, Gettysburg.

## Raffensperger Rites

Funeral services were held at the late home at 2 o'clock this afternoon for Mrs. Sadie Raffensperger, who died April 6 in Franklin township. Burial was in Greenmont cemetery, Arendtsville.

The pallbearers were Roy Hess, William Raffensperger, Frank Raffensperger, Robert Darone and Kenneth Darone.

## Mrs. Charles W. Moose

Clara A. Moose, 60, wife of Charles W. Moose, died at 7:20 a. m. Tuesday at her home, 32 North Belvidere avenue, York.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Melvin C. Griest, York Springs R. 1, and Mrs. Irvin Lehr, York R. 4; a son, Lloyd R. Moose, at home; ten grandchildren and a step-sister, Mrs. Alice Schlusser, Mt. Holly Springs.

Funeral services at 1 p. m. Friday at the Walter W. Futer funeral home, 662 Linden avenue, York, followed by further services at Mummert's church, near East Berlin. Interment in Mummert's cemetery.

## Mrs. Caroline Oaster

Mrs. Caroline Oaster, of Philadelphia, died at a nursing home in Philadelphia Sunday morning of complications. She was the wife of the late Michael Oaster and is survived by two daughters and one son, Miss Marie Oaster, Philadelphia; Mrs. Robert Eckenrode, Harrisburg; Leo, Baltimore; one brother, Howard Spaulding, Littlestown, and two sisters, Mrs. James E. Doll, Frederick, and Mrs. John Eline, Baltimore.

Requiem mass was held in St. Francis de Sales Catholic church, Philadelphia, this morning with burial in St. Aloysius cemetery in Littlestown.

## To Inter Infant

Interment services will be held in Evergreen cemetery for the still-born son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor B. Hemler, 333 Baltimore street, who was born at the Warner hospital Tuesday evening. Surviving are the father, the mother, who was the former Mary Louise Kerns of Chambersburg and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hemler, Gettysburg R. 1 and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kerns, St. Thomas.

## WEDDING RECEPTION

Mr. and Mrs. William Reichert held a reception at their home for their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rinehart, who were married Saturday afternoon in Westminster. Guests were present from York, East Berlin and Hanover. After a short wedding trip the young couple will start house-keeping in their newly furnished home in Hanover.

## Upper Communities

Mr. and Mrs. Helen Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Leiberknight and daughter, Joyce, and Helen Jessup, Baltimore, spent Easter with Mr. Hess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hess, Biglerville.

The junior choir of Trinity Lutheran church, Arendtsville, will meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock for practice.

Miss Faye West and Harold West, Biglerville, have resumed their studies at Plainfield academy, Plainfield, N. J., after spending the Easter holidays at their home in Biglerville.

A two-room cabin has been moved from the Musselman Blue Ribbon farm, near Arendtsville, to Gardners R. 1, for Ray Baker whose home was destroyed by fire on March 15. Mr. Baker lost all of his possessions except the clothes he was wearing. A bed and stove has been provided by Mr. and Mrs. Glenn A. Slaybaugh and a cash donation was given by the Musselman company. Neighbors provided dishes, pots and pans.

Mr. Baker resided with Wharton Carey, farm manager, until March 18 at which time the cabin was ready for occupancy.

Charles Lady has resumed his studies at Susquehanna university, Selingsgrove, after spending the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther M. Lady, Biglerville, R. D.

Wilmer Lupp, of Biglerville, has returned to Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, for treatment. He was accompanied on the trip Monday by Isaiah Lupp and Miss Nadine Lupp.

Charles Heller, of Biglerville, is spending some time in York.

Tom Yost has returned to Philadelphia to resume his studies at the University of Pennsylvania after spending the Easter vacation with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. Charles L. Yost, of Biglerville.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hiram Trostle, of Lykens, spent Monday with the Rev. Mr. Trostle's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Rice, of Biglerville.

William Warren has resumed his studies at Temple university, Philadelphia, after spending the Easter season at his home in Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Shetter, of Biglerville, spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Shetter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fulmer, Carlisle R. D.

Dean Carey has returned to Pittsburgh to resume his studies at the University of Pittsburgh after the Easter vacation which he spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carey, of Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Orner quietly observed their twenty-first wedding anniversary today at their home in Biglerville.

Russell Walter, who spent the Easter holidays at his home in Biglerville, has resumed his studies at Elizabethtown college.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Deardorff and son, Joseph Michael, of Harrisburg, spent the week-end with Mr. Deardorff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Deardorff, Biglerville R. D.

Donald Nary and Guinn Unger have resumed their studies at Temple university, Philadelphia, after the Easter recess which they spent at their homes in Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis McCracken and daughter, Brenda, and son, Tommy, of Leeburg, have concluded a visit with Mrs. McCracken's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Raffensperger, of Biglerville.

Miss Mary Brindle and Ernest W. Brindle, Jr., students at Shippensburg State Teachers' college, have returned to school after the Easter vacation spent with their parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Ernest W. Brindle, of Biglerville.

Walter Reinecke, who was with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reinecke, of Aspers, over the Easter holidays, has resumed his studies at Elizabethtown college.

## NEW DORMITORY

Judge W. C. Sheely, president of the board of trustees of Dickinson Law School, has announced that architect's drawings for the new dormitory building at the school have been completed. Harry W. Lee, senior partner in the Reading law firm of Stevens and Lee, has been named general chairman of a committee to finance the new construction through gifts from the school's more than 1,200 alumni and from friends.

## NEELY TO RETIRE

George M. Neely, postmaster at Fairfield for many years, will retire April 20. Mr. Neely has reached the age limit for postmasters. He was 70 on April 1. J. Walter Kugler will be acting postmaster until Mr. Neely's successor is named.

## PAYS \$10 AND COSTS

Raymond Plank, Gettysburg R. 3, arrested Saturday night on a disorderly conduct charge, paid a fine of \$10 and costs to Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder Monday night.

## Arendtsville

Mrs. Kenneth L. North has returned to her home in Volant after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bell.

Mrs. Lottie Stahl is reported to be improving after having been seriously ill for a week.

Miss Myrna Sheely has returned to Cynwyd after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Sheely.

Mrs. H. B. Raffensperger, Mrs. Cameron Thomas and their sister, Mrs. John Meady, of Baltimore, visited relatives in Steelton on Monday.

## Littlestown

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sermon will be given by Rev. H. E. Sheely, Hanover. Greetings from the Mercersburg Synod will be extended by the president, Rev. H. S. Fox, Gettysburg. Greetings will also be given by Rev. Marsby J. Roth, Hanover. The Churches and Pastors of the former Gettysburg Classis have been invited to attend and a number of the ministers will assist in the service.

The anniversary service will be held Sunday, May 4, at 10:30 a. m. The present pastor, Rev. John C. Brumbach, will give the sermon. The 200th Anniversary Memorial Cross will be presented and dedicated at this service, and the church auditorium, recently renovated, will be rededicated.

The choir, under the direction of Paul Berwager, chorister, and Miss Norma Miller, organist, has been busy for several weeks preparing special musical numbers for this anniversary.

In addition to the special music by the choir and the music furnished by the Edward J. Gobrecht family on Thursday night, there will be two guest soloists, Thelma Forry Hamm, a member of the Trinity Reformed church choir, Hanover, and a former member of Christ church, will be guest soloist.

Sunday morning, April 27 The guest soloist on May 4 will be Peggy M. Moyer, Philadelphia. Mrs. Moyer has been a member of the choir of the Bloomsburg Reformed church, formerly served by the Rev. Mr. Brumbach.

The largest attended Easter Communion in the history of St. John's Lutheran church was held Sunday morning. During the Easter season, the following thirty-three persons were received into membership in the church: Gloria M. Bowers, Nancy A. Renner, Brenda J. Hess, Betty L. Yealy, Burnell C. Brumbach, Merle E. Brumbach, Samuel L. Harmon, Bruce E. Jones, D. Richard Jones, Kenneth Shandbrook, Richard L. Spangler, Dennis R. Stauffer, Paul E. Grove, Jacob W. Harget, Earl R. Keefer, George A. Keefer, Guy Junior Keefer, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac D. Keefer, Moses E. Keefer, Dorothy M. Koontz, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew S. Bauerline, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baumgardner, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bowman, Marie Bowman, Mrs. Donald Feeser, Jr., Mrs. Ray Hawk, Ellsworth Lewis, Ralph C. Shaffer and Albert M. Starnier.

On Sunday afternoon, the pastor, Rev. Kenneth D. James, baptized the following infants: Judy Ann Ingram and Terry Lee Ingram, children of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey C. Ingram; Judy Ann Shaffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Shaffer; and Craig Owen Strevig, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Strevig, all of Littlestown.

The Alta Hummer Missionary society of St. John's will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Malcolm Hyser, West King street.

At Redeemer's Reformed church on Sunday morning, John Edward Snyder was christened by the Rev. Frank E. Reynolds. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Snyder.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion will hold its covered dish dinner this evening at 7 p. m.

Mrs. Thomas O. Weaver is confined to bed with illness at the home of her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Altoff.

Specials Services At York Springs Church

A series of evangelistic services with visiting clergymen as speakers opened Sunday evening at the Mt. Victory Evangelical United Brethren church, near York Springs, when the Rev. Monroe J. Shearer, who is in charge of the congregation, delivered the sermon, Monday evening's preacher was the Rev. George Snyder, Dover.

The Rev. B. D. Rojahn, Spry, spoke Tuesday evening while the Rev. M. S. Schmuck, Jefferson, will address this evening's meeting. For Thursday and Friday evenings, speakers will be the Rev. J. Steward Glenn, Red Lion, and J. B. Reed, Jr., Hanover.

The Rev. Daniel L. Shearer, Harrisburg United Brethren pastor, who has frequently addressed gatherings in the York Springs area, will bring the message for Saturday evening. William R. Tomlinson, York, has been invited to address the service on Sunday evening, April 13. All services will open at 7:45 p. m. and will also feature programs of sacred music. The public is welcome.



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## 1947 ADMIRAL RADIOS





# "LEFTY" TRUMAN TO PITCH FIRST BALL APRIL 14

By ARTHUR EDSON

Washington, April 9 (AP)—The first ball thrown this baseball season probably will be the best Presidential pitch since the days of William Howard Taft.

The pitcher, of course, will be H. Truman, a well known left-hander. There has been no official announcement. But Mr. Truman has promised that—barring complications—he will drop around April 14 for the opening game between the Washington Senators and the New York Yankees.

Since the President looked very good last year in his first try in the majors, he doubtless will look even better this April.

And that will be very good indeed. The authority for this is Morris A. Beale, the town's No. 1 fan and author of the just published "The Washington Senators."

**Taft Was First**  
In his book Beale says it was Taft who started this presidential habit of throwing of the first ball. Taft threw a high, hard one.

But look at those who followed him! Wilson, Harding, Coolidge, Hoover, Roosevelt.

"They all used the bean bag stance of a bloomer girl debutant." But Truman, how refreshingly different. "No bean bag stuff," says Beale admiringly. "The follow-through was perfect."

Oddly, that first presidential toss, by Taft in 1910, started one of the finest opening games in baseball history.

**Baker Gets "Robbed"**  
The late Walter Johnson was on the mound for the Senators, and he turned back the Philadelphia Athletics, 3-0.

There was at least one unusual play. Frank Baker, the home run king, connected with one of Johnson's pitches for what looked like an easy fly to right field.

But the crowd was large, and just outside the ropes sat a typically stubborn Washington character.

The outfielder went back for the fly. The character didn't budge.

The outfielder tripped over the character's feet. The ball flopped down safely a few feet away.

It was the only hit off the great Walter Johnson that day.

## RUTH IN MIAMI TO RECOVER

Miami Beach, Fla., April 9 (AP)—Babe Ruth, pale and haggard after a siege of illness that sent him to a New York hospital for a serious neck operation, went about the business of soaking up sunshine in this resort city today.

The former New York Yankee slugger arrived by plane last night, accompanied by Mrs. Ruth; his nurse, Miss Sonya Olikier, and a long-time friend, Raymond F. Kilthau, at whose home he will spend two weeks.

"I love to be here in Miami, but I can't talk much because of my voice," Ruth told reporters who greeted him upon arrival.

Next to baseball and golf, fishing is one of Ruth's favorite sports and he expects to spend much of his time with rod and reel while resting and absorbing sunshine here.

Ruth entered the hospital in New York last November and underwent a serious neck operation on January 6.

## Sport Shorts

Allentown, Pa., April 9 (AP)—Curt Simmons, voted the All-American boy in American Legion baseball in 1945, pitched a no-hit no-run game and struck out 20 of the 21 batters he retired as Whitehall high defeated Quakertown 4-0 yesterday. Simmons also hit a double in two trips to the plate.

York, Pa., April 9 (AP)—Andy Kerr, retiring football coach of Colgate university, will speak at the annual York Junior College banquet honoring the state junior college titlists here April 21.

Philadelphia, April 9 (AP)—Promoter Herman Taylor said today he will seek to match the winner of next Monday's 10-round bout between Jimmy Collins of Philadelphia and Freddy Russo of Rahway, N. J., with Phil Terranova, former featherweight champion. Collins and Russo are lightweight.

### PASS UNDERTAKER BILL

Philadelphia, April 9 (AP)—Lawson Robertson, former Olympics coach, began his 32d year as coach of the University of Pennsylvania track team yesterday as nearly 100 varsity and freshman candidates turned out for their initial workout.

### HARRISBURG, APRIL 9 (AP)—

Under-taken apprentices with 20 years experience will be able to take examinations for licenses without a high school education under a measure passed 29-19 by the Senate yesterday.

Defeated last week, the proposal was revived at the request of its sponsor, Sen. Paul L. Wagner (R-Schuylkill) and was sent to the house.

## Stags Take Third From Washington

New York, April 9 (AP)—With the Chicago Stags taking the Washington Capitols over the hurdles in their best-of-seven series and New York and Cleveland winding up their best-of-three set tonight, the Basketball Association of America today laid plans for the second round of post-season playoffs.

The surprising Stags dumped the Caps 67-55 at Chicago last night for their third straight triumph and now need only one more victory to send them into the championship round. The series resumes at Washington tomorrow night and the next two games, if necessary, will be played at Chicago Saturday and Sunday.

Philadelphia downed St. Louis in the series between the runners-up in the two divisions and now meets the survivor of tonight's game between the third-place finishers to determine who will play in the finals against the winner of the Chicago-Washington duel.

## HAZLETON MAY LEAVE LEAGUE

Hazleton, Pa., April 9 (AP)—The Hazleton school board indicated today it might withdraw Hazleton high school from the eastern Pennsylvania interscholastic league and sever all relations with Allentown high.

The board's action was hinted last night as it voted to throw its full backing behind the board's athletic council and Hazleton high officials who have contested the eligibility of players for the Allentown state game champions.

Drastic action might be taken, the board said, if Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association officials fail to "take substantial action" in the school's request for an investigation of several Allentown players' eligibility.

Hazleton high filed a request for an investigation with the PIAA last Feb. 11 claiming Allentown used players in excess of the eight semesters beyond the eighth grade, which would be a violation of PIAA codes.

## Training Camp Briefs

(By The Associated Press)  
Kingsport, Tenn., April 9 (AP)—Ed Brautt, rookie fireball flinger of the Cincinnati Reds, is displaying the form that enabled him to win 20 games and lead the Pacific coast league in strikeouts while toiling for Hollywood last year.

The 22-year-old right-hander turned in his second straight impressive performance yesterday as he elbowed the Rhinelanders to a five-hit 9-1 victory over the American league champion Boston Red Sox at Knoxville, Tenn.

Red Manager Johnny Neun announced that Ewell Blackwell lanky right-hander, will probably pitch against the St. Louis Cardinals in the Reds' opening game at Cincinnati April 15.

Richmond, Ind., April 9 (AP)—Warren Spahn will pitch for the Boston Braves against their Milwaukee Farmhands today. Ed Wright, scheduled to pitch yesterday before the game was rained out, was permitted to leave by automobile for Boston with his wife and infant son, Michael.

Chicago, April 9 (AP)—Outfielder Bill Nicholson of the Chicago Cubs, weighing 200 pounds, somewhat lighter than last season, has arrived here for treatment of his injured leg. The Cubs' physician, after checking Nick thoroughly, said, "he has nothing more than a pulled muscle in his right leg which a little rest and heat will take care of—he will be ready for the opener with Pittsburgh Tuesday."

Kansas City, April 9 (AP)—Chicago White Sox Manager Ted Lyons trimmed his squad further today by optioning Bill Evans, promising right-hander, to Little Rock of the southern association.

Savannah, Ga., April 9 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics are heading home for Tuesday's American league opener with five regulars, Sam Chapman, Don Richmond, Hank Majeski, Gene Handley and George Binks hitting over .300 in 21 exhibition games.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 9 (AP)—Homer Spragins, young right-handed hurler purchased last year from Memphis of the southern association, has been optioned to the same club by the Philadelphia Phillies.

ABC Tournament  
Eyes On Al Brandt  
Los Angeles, April 9 (AP)—The first full scale invasion by eastern teams was due tonight in the American Bowling Congress tournament which began its 47-day run March 27.

Entries from Colorado, Indiana, Illinois, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Nebraska, as well as California and Texas, were prepared for competition in the regular divisions.

The man the fans will be watching, however, is Allie Brandt, 42-year-old half pint from Lockport, N. Y., bowling with the Los Angeles Eastside Beer team. Experts figure the little New Yorker, blistering the alleys since he came to the west coast two months ago, for a spectacular performance in his ABC workout.

## ARENDSVILLE 9 FACES 10 TILTS

Arendtsville high will open a 10-game baseball schedule with Hanover high on the latter's field today in the event the weather becomes favorable.

Announcement of the schedule was made today and includes the following: Today, Hanover, away; April 16, Hanover, home; 18, Fairfield, home; 22, Littlestown, home; 25, Bolling Springs, away; 29, New Oxford, home; May 2, York Springs, home; 6, East Berlin, home; 9, Fairfield, away, and 13, Biglerville, away. Another game may be added with Biglerville high.

Coach Russell Kane has been drilling a squad of about 25 candidates in preparation for the season.

## Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

New York, April 9 (AP)—Ernie Hjertberg, who has been coaching runners and jumpers for nearly 60 of his 80 years, maintains that he made a success of coaching because he was trying to win a job for himself.

...since he began, Ernie says, the working boy has drifted away from track athletics and the United States has remained on top only because a few big clubs have encouraged college men to remain in competition after they leave college.

... "Maybe we need a licking, but we don't want it," Hjertberg says. ... or maybe we need a few more guys who are willing to work like heck to get a \$3,000 coaching job.

... a year ago George Schoux, "Rookie" ace of the winter golf tour, crashed the gate at the Augusta masters' tournament and was promptly tossed out for not having a ticket. George refused to buy one, arguing that he belonged there. Off last week's play, he did.

### SERIOUS SHORTAGE

Old Bobo Newson, the talkative Washington flinger, was discussing American league mound staffs with a New York writer recently and opined that the Senators had the best of them all. "How about the Tigers?" The scribe objected. "They have Newhouse, Trout, Trucks and Hutchinson." "Go on, name some more," said Newson. "What more do you want than those four?" Bobo entered a final rebuttal. "You forget they don't have a Newsom."

### ONE-NIGHT SPORTS PAGE

Joe Vella, manager of Gus Lesnevich, sails for England today to see the Joe Bakal-Bruce Woodcock scrap and maybe to dicker for a return bout which Lesnevich promised Tommy Willis. ... St. Peter's prep school of Jersey City, with an enrollment of 800, had a turnout of 205 candidates for baseball this spring.

### CORING THE FACTS

Sportscaster Frank Frisch is trying to take in a few pre-season baseball games in order to get some practice at keeping score. ... "I don't want to have the trouble I ran into while I was broadcasting at Boston," Frank explains. "I use all sorts of red, green, blue pencils, etc., to keep special notes. The booth there was open and when some rain blew in I found the colors had run so the leadoff man was credited with 12 hits."

## Fights Last Night

Kansas City, Kas.—Ray "Sugar" Robinson, 155, New York, T.K.O. Eddie Finazzo, 160, Baltimore, 4. (non-title.)

Manchester, N. H.—Tommy "Red" Wells, 132, Manchester, knocked out Joe Monteiro, 131, Wareham, Mass., 9.

New York (Sunnyside Gardens).—Leo Melitto, 130, New York, outpointed Harry Diduck, 128, New York, 8.

White Plains, N. Y.—Gene Bonland, 151½, Detroit, outpointed Tony Vero, 149, Stamford, Conn., 8.

New York (Park Arena).—Lew Hanbury, 138½, Washington, D. C., outpointed Johnny Dell, 135½, Brooklyn, 8.

Jersey City—Willie Hayes, 181½, North Bergen, knocked out Paul Crosby, 170, North Bergen, 6.

## Joe Louis Settles Breach Of Contract

Los Angeles, April 9 (AP)—A \$10,000 breach of contract suit against Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis, alleging that he failed to appear for an exhibition match in Mexico City on February 5, 1946, has been "adjusted" out of court, the fighter's lawyer announced.

The attorney, Jerry Giesler, declined to disclose terms of the adjustment.

Ramon Reachi, Mexican sports promoter, filed the suit in Los Angeles superior court because Louis was here. He asserted that Louis and Mike Jacobs, New York boxing promoter, made an agreement on January 7, 1946, for Louis to take part in the exhibition.

Manila, P. I. (AP)—Shoemaker Federico Samodio, digging in his garden, uncovered a gasoline drum jammed with 3,000,000 pesos.

Samodio hasn't retired, however. All the bills were Japanese invasion notes.

## Rogers In England To Sign Up Woodcock

New York, April 9 (AP)—The quest for a challenger for Joe Louis' heavyweight title assumed an international aspect today with matchmaker Nat Rogers gone to England to stalk the only foe the champion is interested in meeting for his scheduled June tea party in Yankee Stadium.

The objective of Mike Jacobs' emissary is, of course, to sign Empire Title-holder Bruce Woodcock, who at the moment is playing hard to get. And although the Briton is far from ready, the word has gone out that Woodcock is the man most likely to be on hand when Joe comes out for the 24th defense of his diadem.

## HERSHEY LOSES THIRD STRAIGHT

Pittsburgh, April 9 (AP)—The Pittsburgh Hornets, continuing dominance over the defense-minded Hershey Bears, scored their third straight victory in the American Hockey League Calder cup playoff finals and today held a two-game advantage in the best four-out-of-seven series.

The Hornets racked up their 16th consecutive victory on the home Gardens ice, including regular season contests, by conquering the Hershey six, 4-3, last night before 5,523 fans.

Pittsburgh's Dutch Hiller blasted the winning tally into the net 71 seconds before the final gun sounded.

Hershey fought hard all the way, desperately trying to knot the playoffs at 2-2 before returning to the Bear ice Thursday for the fifth game of the series. If Hershey wins, the two teams return to Pittsburgh Saturday for the sixth contest. The seventh game, if necessary, will be played at Hershey next Tuesday.

### Hornets Score First

Pittsburgh drew first blood in last night's encounter, defenseman Ernie Dickens drumming the rubber puck past Bear Goalie Gordie Henry midway in the first period.

But Hershey, held scoreless in the first 20 minutes, quickly retaliated in the second stanza—Hy Buller and Johnny Pierson making the red light over the Hornet cage flash.

Hiller—blasting his first goal of the evening—squared matters shortly after the final 20 minutes of play started. The Gus Bodnar knifed one past Henry to again give Pittsburgh the advantage.

Frankie Mario knotted the count at 3-all with less than two minutes remaining, but Hiller pushed across the winning counter 25 seconds late.

## Race Wide Open For Tennis Champ

New York, April 9 (AP)—The suspension of tennis champion Pauline Betz by the U. S. Lawn Tennis association means, among other things, that there will be a feminine battle royal at Forest Hills late in August such as hasn't been seen in some years.

Miss Betz, who with Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Cooke was removed from the amateur ranks yesterday because of a projected tour of the pair as professionals, had come to dominate the women's division almost as thoroughly as Alice Marble did just before her, but there has been a terrific scrap for second place.

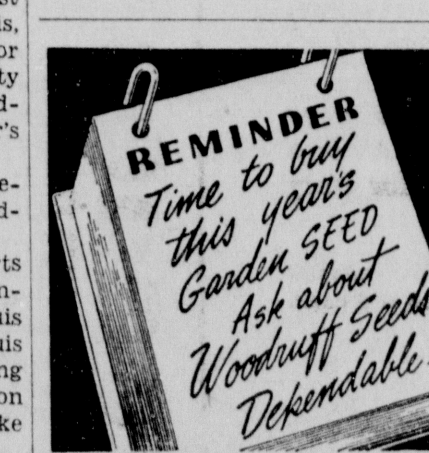
Four girls, three of them from the west coast and one from Florida, must be figured in the running for the crown snatched from Pauline's blonde head by the tennis moguls. As the executive committees of the tennis association, which could hear an appeal by Miss Betz, will not meet until September, there is no possibility of her defending the title.

Louise Brough, Margaret Osborne and Mrs. Dorothy Canning Todd, all Californians, and Doris Hart of Miami form the contending quartet. Any one of them could take the title.

## Chamber Secretary Commits Suicide

Farrell, Pa., April 9 (AP)—Frank H. Shaffer, 53-year-old executive secretary of the Farrell Chamber of Commerce, committed suicide by hanging, reports James F. Elder, Mercer county deputy coroner. The body was found in Shaffer's office yesterday.

Shaffer, who served with Chambers of Commerce in Ellwood City and Pittsburgh, Pa., Weirton, W. Va., and Richard, Ky., before coming here in 1943, is survived by his widow and three children.



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## WOOD SCRAP BURNING PLANS

Harrisburg, April 9 (AP)—Proposals to scrap three of the commonwealth's proposed postwar projects, including one for the construction of state office buildings in Pittsburgh and Philadelphia, were in the legislature today.

Abandonment of the projects was asked by Gov. James H. Duff to provide funds for more current needs.

### LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE  
TO JOHN STOCKSLAGER, PATRICK DOUGHERTY, TOBIAS ECKENRODE, PHILIP DOUGHERTY, JAMES REAV-ER, J. L. BUTT, JAMES H. REAVER, THOMAS JONES OHIER, ALSO KNOWN AS JONAS OHIER, HARRY STAMBAUGH, RUTH E. STAMBAUGH, AND THEIR HEIRS, ASSIGNS, EXECUTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS AND ALL OTHER PERSONS WHO MAY BE INTERESTED OR CLAIM AN INTEREST IN THE LOT OF GROUND KNOWN AS LOT OF GROVE, SCHOOLS, SOMETIMES KNOWN AS SPANGLER'S SCHOOL, IN MOUNT JOY TOWNSHIP, ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

Take notice that on April 3, 1947, at a regular meeting, at which a quorum was present, of the Board of School Directors of the School District of Mount Joy Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, the following resolution was adopted: That the Board of School Directors of the School District of Mount Joy Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, do hereby declare its intention to acquire title in fee simple under the provisions of the Act of Assembly hereinafter mentioned to ALL that lot of ground situate in Mount Joy Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, which is along the public road leading from the intersection of the State Highway (near the Nail Farm) to another public road at or near Frank Wayright Farm, which lot of ground for years past has been known as Edge Grove School, sometimes known as Spangler's School, said lot of ground is bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the center of the public road aforesaid said at lands now or formerly of Harry Stambaugh; thence by said land in a southerly direction for a distance of 300 feet, more or less, to a stake at lands of said Harry Stambaugh; thence by the same in a Southwesterly direction for a distance of 98 feet, more or less, to a stake at lands now or formerly of Ed Chuk also South side of a private road leading from the public road aforesaid to the Littlestown Road; thence by said lands and said private road in a Northwesterly direction for a distance of 209 feet to a point in the public road aforesaid; thence by the center of the public road aforesaid in a Northerly direction for a distance of 135 feet, more or less, to a stake, the place of BEGINNING.

The above lot of ground is said to have been part of a larger tract of land, which included three smaller lots of ground as follows: (a) Being the same which John Stockslager and wife by deed dated March 30, 1895, recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Adams County, Pennsylvania, in Deed Book 30, page 25, did sell and convey unto James Reaver; (b) Being the same which Patrick Dougherty by deed dated April 1, 1872, recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Adams County, Pennsylvania, in Deed Book 60, page 213, did sell and convey unto James Reaver; (c) Being the same which Tobias Eckenrode and wife by deed dated April 6, 1870, did sell and convey unto Philip Dougherty; and being the same which Harry Stambaugh and wife by deed dated May 20, 1870, did sell and convey unto James Reaver; and they being the same three lots of ground (described as one tract) which James Reaver and Daniel V. Reaver, Executors of the Will of James Reaver, deceased, by their deed dated April 2, 1898, did sell and convey unto J. L. Butt and Kittle H. Butt, his wife, by deed dated April 18, 1928, did sell and convey unto James H. Reaver; and being the same which James H. Reaver and wife, by deed dated March 29, 1899, recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Adams County, Pennsylvania, in Deed Book 22, page 406, did sell and convey unto Thomas Jones Ohier; and being the same which J. Ernest Ohier, executor of the Will of Jonas Ohier, deceased, by deed dated April 1, 1926, recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Adams County, Pennsylvania, in Deed Book 109, page 76, did sell and convey unto Harry Stambaugh and Ruth E. Stambaugh, his wife.

The Board of School Directors has been reliably informed, believes and therefore avers that heretofore the said School District had acquired a lesser estate in said lot of ground than title in fee simple, all of which facts the said School District will be deemed to have known and understood at the time of the acquisition of said lot of ground for a public purpose and same has been used for public school purposes for 35 years or more prior hereto; that the School District has made a diligent search and has been unable to determine accurately the manner and date or approximate date of the original acquisition nor has said School District been able to accurately ascertain the name or names of the owner or owners of said real estate at the time of its original acquisition for public school purposes.

FURTHER, that this resolution be advertised once in two newspapers of general circulation throughout the County of Adams and that a certified copy of this resolution together with the proof of publication be entered of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Adams County, Pennsylvania, whereupon title of the School District aforesaid in and to such real estate shall become absolute title in fee simple.

Any person claiming a reversionary or other interest in and to said real estate or any part thereof may, within the period prescribed by law after the recording of the certified copy and proof of publication herebefore mentioned, cause the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County in accordance with the Act of July 2, 1937, P. L. 2793, Sections 1 and 2, to set aside and annul the same, and to award costs and disbursements thereto, 53 P. S. 1331.

J. F. YAKE, Jr., Solicitor, Mount Joy Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.  
Viollet B. Ray, No. 18, April Term, 1946  
vs.  
Divorce  
Charles C. Ray, Notice of amendment of petition, most of libel to CHARLES C. RAY, RESPONDENT.

Take notice that upon petition filed by the libellant in the above styled proceeding on March 10, 1947, said libellant prayed that the Court order and direct that an annulment be permitted in the libel filed, whereupon the Court ordered and directed that the libel be amended in said case so as to allege as follows:

"That from on or about March 15, 1940, the respondent, Charles C. Ray, had committed willful and malicious desertion and absence from the habitation of the injured and innocent spouse (the libellant) without any reasonable cause for and during the term and space of two (2) years and upwards."

The Court further ordered that notice be given you by advertisement in one newspaper within the County of Adams, once a week for three successive weeks.

J. FRANCIS YAKE, JR., Attorney for the Libellant.

The move was incorporated in legislation sponsored by Reps. Norman Wood (R-Lancaster) and James C. Brice (R-Lawrence) to repeal 1045 laws appropriating \$1,500,000 for the office buildings and \$150,000 for preservation of Selective Service and

### LEGAL NOTICES

GRANT OF LETTERS  
In re: Estate of Raymond W. Kime, late of Butler Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Raymond W. Kime, late of Butler Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims against it to present the same without delay to the undersigned.

MARY V. KIME, Administratrix, R. F. D. 1, Biglerville, Pennsylvania.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

In re: Estate of Harry J. Rothaupt, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased. Petition for private sale of real estate for time and payment or debts.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on March 29, 1947, Eva M. Pape, administratrix of the estate of Harry J. Rothaupt, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased, presented her petition to the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, for leave to sell at private sale to Ellis Smith, of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, for the price or sum of Forty-two Hundred and Fifty (\$4,250.00) Dollars, the undivided one-half interest in said time and in the hereinafter described real estate: ALL that tract of real estate (known as Tract No. 1) situate, lying and being in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, BEGINNING at a point on the West side of South Washington Street, said point being ninety (90) feet from the North side of a twelve (12) foot public alley, West, thirty (30) minutes West, one hundred forty-two (142) feet to a point in the Western side of South Washington Street, thence South seventy-eight (78) degrees thirty (30) minutes West, thirty (30) feet to the place of BEGINNING. The Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, has set May 3, 1947, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Court House in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, as a time and place for a hearing upon said petition, at which time and place all parties in interest may appear.

EVA M. PAPE, Administratrix of the estate of Harry J. Rothaupt, deceased.

NOTICE  
Notice is hereby given that the account of the heretofore named fiduciary, together with the accompanying statement of proposed distribution, has been filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, at the Court House in Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, and that the same will be presented on April 25, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., to the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, for absolute confirmation and the entry of a decree directing distribution in accordance with the statement of proposed distribution.

First and Final Account of The First National Bank of Gettysburg, Successor Trustee, of a trust created by the last will of Jacob A. Will, deceased, late of Carroll County, Maryland, for the benefit of Mollie Will during her life with the remainder of the children of Mollie Will by Andrew Will, son of the testator, share and share alike.

EMMA E. SHEFFER, Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania.

NOTICE  
Estate of Luella Walter, deceased, late of Borough of Biglerville, Adams County, Pennsylvania.  
Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

FRANKLIN E. WALTER, Administrator of the Estate of Luella Walter, deceased.

Or to his attorney, J. F. Yake, Jr., Gettysburg, Penna.

NOTICE  
In re: Estate of Alvis Minter, late of the Borough of Biglerville, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given to all parties interested that the widow's appraisement in the above entitled estate was filed in the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, and confirmed nisi on the 22nd day of March, 1947, and that the same will be confirmed absolutely unless exceptions be filed thereto within thirty days from said confirmation nisi.

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## Out Of The Past

From the Files of the  
Star and Sentinel and  
The Gettysburg Times  
TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Announce Cast for Play: The cast of characters for the play "Clarence," by Booth Tarkington, to be presented for the benefit of the Gettysburg Fire Company on Wednesday, April 26, has been completed and practices are being held each evening.

The committee in charge of the play is composed of Rufus Bushman, Oscar Lupp and William G. Weaver.

Following is the cast of characters: Mrs. Martyn, Dorothy Crouse; Mr. Wheeler, Grayson Peters; Mrs. Wheeler, Mary Ramer; Bobby Wheeler, Earl Stallsmith; Cora Wheeler, Helen Pfeffer; Violet Pinney, Melva Heiges; Clarence, Brady Armory; Della, Ellen Tipton; Dimwiddle, Murray Miller; Hubert Stern, Horace Armory.

Addition Made to Cemetery: The new section of Evergreen Cemetery has been opened and lots are now ready for sale. This new portion was purchased by the Cemetery Board recently, when a tract of about 18 acres was acquired, adjoining the present burying ground on the south. About nine acres of this tract has been laid out in lots and extensively planted with all varieties of shade trees and shrubbery by the Berryhill Nursery Company, of Harrisburg.

Wedding Announced: Announcement has been made of the marriage of George Heagy and Miss Zelda Walters, both of this place, which took place in Westminster on March 14. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Seabrook, pastor of the Lutheran church in that place. The couple are now residing on Breckenridge street, this place.

Noted Leader of Drys Coming Here: Final arrangements have been made to secure "Pussyfoot" Johnson to lecture in St. James Lutheran church here, on Tuesday evening, April 25. Mr. Johnson just recently returned from an extended trip abroad and announces his subject for the evening, "The New India."

Mr. Johnson will be introduced by James W. Bodley, who has been a friend of the speaker for the past twenty-five years. Mr. Bodley has long been identified as one of the pioneers of the temperance work in this country.

Valedictorian of Class: Levi F. Gilbert, former teacher in the Biglerville high school, has been named valedictorian at Franklin and Marshall college, Lancaster. Mr. Gilbert is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gilbert, Table Rock, and a brother of Sherrick Gilbert. Mr. Gilbert was captain of the football team last year. The impression that athletes cannot be high grade students has been completely disproved. Franklin and Marshall officials say.

During the war Mr. Gilbert served with the First Cadet Corps at Omaha, Nebraska.

Becomes Bank Clerk: C. Richard Wolf, on The Times staff as a reporter for the past six months, on Monday assumed his duties as clerk in the First National Bank.

Community Day Observed: The annual community day at the Arcndtsville Vocational school was observed Friday. The schedule for the day included talks and demonstrations by the home economics and agriculture departments.

In the evening the Whittier Literary Society, assisted by the students of Miss Bosserman's room in the grammar school, presented an interesting program.

Marriage License: A marriage license has been issued to Malcolm E. Hess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hess, of Mt. Joy township, and Miss Edna M. Easley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Easley, of Hanover, by Clerk of the Courts Hartman.

Diphtheria Cases: Dr. H. M. Hartman, Springs avenue, was stricken with diphtheria Friday evening and his home on Springs avenue has been quarantined. Mrs. George Taylor, West Middle street, is also suffering with the disease.

## Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

### THE HUMAN TOUCH

I wonder if the human touch, which people have, is not one of the greatest assets that one can have. You meet some people, and immediately you feel their warmth of mind or heart. You read a book, sit before the performance of a fine actor, or read a poem — and there it is — something that streams into your consciousness.

There are a few so-called comic strips in the newspapers that have it — few, but some, and they are the most widely followed. People hunger for this kinship of understanding. And those who have it may walk with Kings and inherit the love and admiration of the simplest and poorest of human kind. The poorest, but not in spirit.

The treasures of literature are studded with gems that gleam with this common touch, enriching every mind contacted. How often you hear the expression: "I like that person, he (or she) is so human," that's it — touching some invisible chord that vibrates in another.

This human touch is the source of all love and understanding, and all high endeavor. The songster, just outside your door, and the honest look in the eyes of "man's best friend" — the dog — respond to it, when offered in appreciation. The shrewd physician knows all about this — and it is his most potent asset with his patients, though an invisible one. Dr. Frederic Loomis, in his interesting book "The Bond Between Us," calls it "The Third Component."

The successful salesman knows, that without his Human Touch, he can be classified merely as an order taker — no more. And so he deftly uses it. He searches for some opening, in his relation to a prospective client, and when he discovers it, he "brings home the bacon," as the saying goes.

Those who keep climbing higher, in their chosen work, all have this outstanding something. The Nurse in the hospital, the man who delivers your mail, the clerk behind many a store counter, and the effective minister or public speaker. Without this Human Touch, Hope has little on which to feed or thrive.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Mental Malnutrition."

## Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST  
The Poet of the People

RICH MAN'S SON  
The rich man's son meets dangers worse  
Than those of parents poor of purse.

For him are pitfalls, night and day,  
Disguised and decked as pleasures gay.  
For with his wishes all supplied,  
Temptation waits on every side.

The boy who comes to wealth at birth  
Is kept from many a test of worth.  
The urge of want, the spur of need,  
The strong ambition to succeed,  
The will to suffer hardships grim,  
All these his station keeps from him.

Since wearying tests denied him are,  
The ones he meets are harder far.  
Folly and recklessness and sin  
Will lie in wait to drag him in.  
If these he conquers—as he can—  
That boy has proved that he's a man.

### The Almanac

April 10—Sun rises 6:31; sets 6:32.  
Moon rises 11:54; sets 6:32.  
April 11—Sun rises 6:30; sets 6:32.  
Moon rises in morning.  
MOON PHASES  
April 13—Last quarter.  
April 20—New moon.  
April 27—First quarter.

fering with the disease.

Had No Part in Schick Test: Feeling that the Board of Directors and officers of the Gettysburg public schools have been criticized by many residents of the school district for permitting State Health authorities to carry on the Schick testing of children in the schools and in that way lending their support to the work, the Board at its meeting Thursday evening passed a resolution which declares to the public that they had nothing whatever to do with the work. That the tests were made in the school rooms without the consent of the school authorities and without any consideration being extended to them, is claimed by the Board.

Personal Mention: Guy Wolf moved Tuesday from Hanover to Gettysburg.

Clyde Daly and family, who have been living in the Rex apartments, York street, have moved to the General Lee property headquarters at the west end of town.

Mrs. Joseph Kendelhart, York street, is visiting friends in Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hudson, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Jane, on April 2nd.

On Monday morning an airplane encircled Gettysburg several times, coming here from a southerly direction. Before leaving this vicinity, the airman came to a low altitude, evidently in search of his bearings and then flew off in the same direction from which he had come.

## MAIZE ASSAILS KRUG'S ACTION; CERTIFY MINES

Harrisburg, Pa., April 9 (AP)—Declaring that Secretary of the Interior Krug "did not show good judgment" in closing Pennsylvania's 158 soft coal mines, State Secretary of Mines Richard Maize today certified 74 of the pits safe.

At the same time, Maize said none of the remaining 84 will be permitted to reopen until they have been visited by state inspectors and certified "before the end of the week."

Anxious to Open Mines  
Seventy-three pits visited by state bituminous inspectors since original federal inspections were made already have been certified by Pennsylvania, Maize declared adding that a 74th mine near Johnstown was cleared by a special inspection yesterday.

Meanwhile, the state official prepared to meet with District president of the AFL United Mine Workers and with coal operators to discuss "the critical condition in the commonwealth."

Pennsylvania's soft coal miners number 100,000.

"We are anxious to get these mines back to work as quickly as possible," Maize stated, adding mine inspectors are under instructions to report daily the additional mines inspected and certified as safe.

He explained the new state inspections are necessary because "we don't know what federal inspectors found" in the mines since state inspectors visited them in the last few months "and we are not clearing them until our men go there."

### BODY UNIDENTIFIED

Butler, Pa., April 9 (AP)—Thirty-six hours after his death, police still sought clues today to the identity of a man, about 60, killed by an automobile near Zelienople. The man's left arm had been amputated between the wrist and elbow and both arms bore tattoo marks. The right arm bore the initials "C. D."

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## Motor Federation To Discuss Safety

Harrisburg, April 9 (AP)—Problems of highway safety and driver training were up for discussion today at the opening session of the Pennsylvania Motor Federation's annual secretaries' conference.

An estimated 150 representatives of AAA clubs throughout the Commonwealth came here to hear Federal and state safety experts outline current highway needs at the morning session.

R. B. Maxwell, Federation secretary-manager, is presiding at the two-day conference.

David R. Perry, secretary to Gov. James H. Duff, will be the principal speaker at the banquet tonight at which time awards will be presented to secretaries with outstanding membership records.

## Beaver Falls Wins State Legion Title

Beaver Falls, Pa., April 9 (AP)—The Col. J. H. Thompson post of Beaver Falls won the state American legion basketball championship by an 81-35 victory over old Forge Post No. 23 here last night.

Beaver Falls picked up a lead in the first few minutes, raised it to 20-9 at the quarter and kept the score at least doubled thereafter. Forward Stan Navage was high scorer for the winners with 21 points.

Vodka, also known as vodki or wodka, is made from potatoes and maize.

The number of active volcanoes is estimated at between 300 and 400.

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## AVIATION BILLS BEFORE SENATE

Harrisburg, April 9 (AP)—Legislation designed to stimulate aviation, especially in metropolitan centers of the commonwealth, is in position for final passage by the general assembly next week.

Three bills passed previously by the House were on the Senate calendar today after having been reported favorably by the aeronautics committee.

At the same time, Majority Leader O. J. Tallman (R-Lehigh), introduced a measure which would appropriate \$3,750,000 to the State Aeronautics Commission for the next two years.

The bills in position for final passage next week include a measure which would require political subdivisions to submit project plans to the state Aeronautics commission before making any airport application to federal authorities. In addition, the subdivisions would be required to designate the commission as their agent in the receipt and

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## Wounds Wife And Kills Other Man

Washington, Pa., April 9 (AP)—William Dudley, 44, of nearby Marianna, was held in custody of state police today after he admitted killing another man and wounding his wife following an argument last night, Sgt. Harry Gidley reported. The dead man was Raymond Lawrence, 37.

Gidley quoted Dudley as saying he disbursement of federal funds for airports.

Two other bills reported favorably would permit first and second class townships to acquire land adjoining airports by right of eminent domain if the land was needed to extend or maintain municipal airports. This in effect, would permit expansion of large airports in metropolitan areas where expansion has been necessitated by advancement of the aviation industry.

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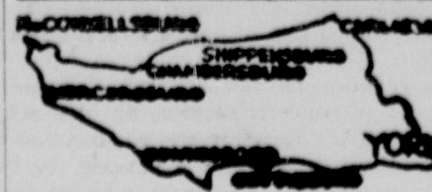
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shot his wife, Willa Lee Dudley, 27, three times then turned the gun on Lawrence after the woman allegedly declared she no longer loved him.

Gidley said no charges have been filed as yet.

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# Interesting News Of Upper Adams Countians And Their Enterprises

## Eight Upper End School Districts Will Discuss Merger Plans Tonight

Upper Adams county, a community in its interests, economy and way of life may soon become a community in its school system as well. The proposal made last spring that the eight upper county school districts explore the possibility of merging to provide better educational facilities for the nearly 1,200 students in that section sprang into new life today following a series of moves that began a few weeks ago when Butler township decided to ask Biglerville about a possible merger.

That move was followed by interest on the part of other boards and will reach a peak this evening when representatives of eight school boards in the upper county meet at the Biglerville high school to talk over the idea of a joint meeting for the forty members making up the school boards in Biglerville, Arendtsville, Bendersville, Tyrone, Franklin, Butler, Menallen, and Huntingdon townships.

**Expect Merger Attempt**  
Whether all will be interested in a proposed merger was not known today, but it was definitely expected that some of the districts will attempt a merger.

New regulations for township schools brought about by the state legislature's act 403 is the immediate reason for interest in the proposal but much of the back-

ground behind the idea is based on the concern shown by the school board officials in the various districts to provide better education for their youngsters, an observer of the upper county scene said today.

Arendtsville has also decided to seek a merger with Biglerville as a result of Butler township's decision to merge with Biglerville and because of expected withdrawal of the Franklin township youngsters from the Arendtsville school.

### All Boards To Meet

With only 92 to 95 students in Arendtsville high school now, the withdrawal of the pupils sent by the two townships would bring the number down to about 35—a number which would make it impossible to operate Arendtsville as a high school, officials told a group of Arendtsville residents at a meeting last Thursday. Under Act 403 state reimbursement has been changed so that high schools in the future must have 22 pupils per teacher before they receive their reimbursement for that teacher. With only 35 students Arendtsville, if it remained open, would receive payment only for one teacher and a fraction. The cost of remaining open would be much too high for taxpayers to pay, school officials said.

Tyrone township is another district that has decided to send its youngsters to Biglerville, it was

learned today. As a result, at least a four-way tie-up will probably be effected from the meetings among the school districts on the matter. Willis Lady, Biglerville, chairman of the committee which was set up last spring to study the matter and which is planning to set up arrangements for a joint board meeting this evening, said that this evening the group will do its best to set a definite date in the near future for the joint boards session.

### Many Possibilities

If the joint boards decide to band together educationally, then the county will be asked to put the matter on this fall's ballots so that the voters in the districts affected may have their say as to whether the proposed school merger should go through or not. If the voters disapproved, then the plan will have to be dropped.

While everything at present is indefinite, discussion at a meeting several months ago when the matter was first broached disclosed a number of "possibilities" for upper county education.

Among those possibilities is the one of changing the Arendtsville vocational school into an elementary center. In that discussion it was pointed out that there would be

## About The FARM

**Clock Trouble:** This is the season of the year when the farmer begins his work in earnest, and gets so

no need to "waste" the present Arendtsville high school building by constructing a new building. That edifice could be used for elementary youngsters and give them besides the usual primary equipment such things as a cafeteria, auditorium, gymnasium and other facilities.

Possibly one other elementary center would have to be utilized to take care of all of the youngsters and Biglerville high school would probably be the high school center for the section.

In addition to Lady, who represents the Biglerville school district, others on the committee which is meeting tonight and the districts they are from, are: Hilbert Hoffman, Tyrone township; John Bream, Franklin township; Lawrence Myers, Arendtsville; Luther Lady, Butler township; Harold Taylor, Menallen township; Leighton Taylor, Bendersville and William Lott, Huntingdon township.

overheated talking about daylight time that he works on tirelessly forgetting all other troubles. But seriously it's a wonder that the farmer organizations during the past winter did not go on record as opposing fast time, judging by the comments of farmers on the subject.

Many a hired man has blessed the person who first thought of spray materials, particularly on one of those days when 99 per cent of the material seems to settle on the man putting it on the tree, but neighboring Franklin county has a new slant on orchard spray material. State Fish Warden W. W. Britton, who also has much of upper Adams county in his territory, has been called in to Rouzerville to investigate Red Run there. Complaints are that spray material used in orchards along the banks of the stream are polluting the water. Britton says he

doesn't know whether the pollution hurt the fish, explaining that a survey showed no dead fish "but it didn't show any live ones either."

**Statistics:** If you want to know how much Pennsylvania farmers got, in cash, for their January farm marketings here are some figures: \$45,407,000 overall take; \$36,338,030 for livestock and livestock products and \$9,069,000 for crops. Milk and eggs made up the most cash producing crops. The amount for the month was \$2,000,000 more than the take for January, 1946. Did you get your share? . . . Commercial potato growers are saying they plan to reduce their 1947 acreage five per cent below the 1946 plantings. . . . There were only 61,970,000 baby chicks produced in Pennsylvania during 1946 as compared with 84,000,000 in 1945.

## Maintenance Men At Continuous Meet

Philadelphia, April 9 (AP) — Dial telephone service in the Philadelphia area was threatened with eventual slowdown today as maintenance workers, not officially on strike, were summoned to a "continuous meeting" which would keep them idle. The meeting would not curtail

local service immediately, which yesterday was reported generally normal in the city and suburbs. Long distance calls, however, dropped off sharply during the second day of the nationwide strike of the NFWA. Meanwhile, a similar continuous meeting was set for today at Scranton, with 195 plant department workers at Carbondale, Scranton, Pittston, Wyoming and Stroudsburg expected to be affected.

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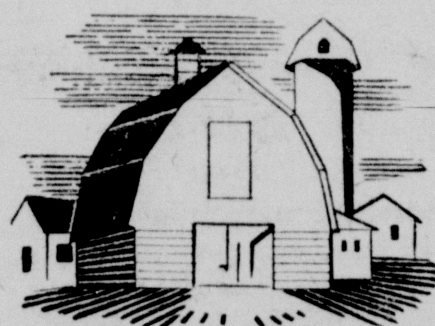
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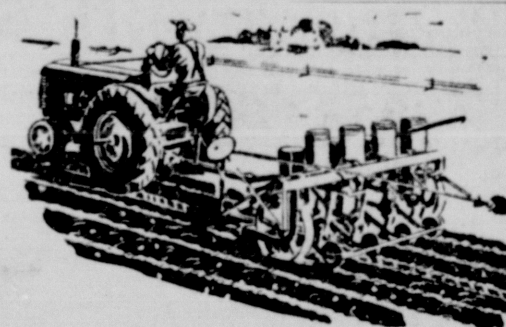
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# Fire Destroys Barn At Mt. Tabor Sunday; \$3,000 Loss Includes Pigs, Truck

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a frame barn measuring about 50 by 60 feet at the home of Mrs. Sarah Sowers, Mt. Tabor, Sunday morning at 6:30 o'clock. Total damage was estimated at approximately \$3,000, partly covered by insurance.

Also destroyed were four shoats, a Ford panel truck, 27 bushels of seed peas and a quantity of fertilizer. A chicken house adjoining the barn was also destroyed along with a number of chickens.

Unable To Call Firemen  
A son of the owner, Wayne Sowers, succeeded in taking two horses and a brood sow from the barn.

Mrs. Sowers and her sons, Wayne and Fred, learned of the fire when they were awakened by the barking of their dog. After efforts were unsuccessful to summon the Bendersville fire company via telephone due to many members of the company attending Easter Dawn services, Fred drove to Bendersville to secure the aid of the firemen. The Aspers fire company was also summoned.

The firemen succeeded in saving a garage near the house by use of booster tanks.

Firemen believed the fire started in the haymow above the horses' stalls.

## Fire At Heller Home

On Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock the same companies were called to the joint house-store property of Ira Heller, only a short distance from the Sowers farm, to extinguish a fire that broke out in the dwelling part of the building.

Approximately \$200 damage was done, much by smoke, when fat which was being boiled on a gas stove, boiled over. The loss it covered by insurance.

## Called To Grass Fire

The Bendersville company answered its third call in as many days when it was summoned to the property of Lester W. Davis, Peach Glen, Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock to extinguish a grass fire.

The fire had reached to within inches of a chicken house where

# News Of Interest To Upper Communities Of County

## PLOWING CAN KILL BORERS

Spring plowing, if done carefully, can be one of the most effective ways for controlling the European corn borer which annually has been causing Adams county farmers losses running into the hundreds of dollars, reminds E. J. Udine, extension entomologist of the Pennsylvania State college.

Borers easily survive winter's low temperatures, waiting dormant in the cornstalks, corncocks, and other vegetation to emerge as moths and start a new life cycle and season of destruction. The more dormant borers killed, the more effective is their control, and the more dollars in hand for farmers next fall.

But, the time to act is now. After May 1 is too late. By then these worms, unless destroyed, change into moths, and soon after, from

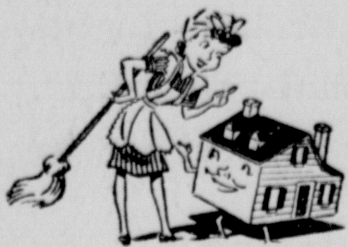
their eggs, will be coming hordes of new generation worms to prey upon crops, especially sweet corn and field corn.

Udine informs that in field demonstrations 98 per cent of borers in refuse on the surface of the ground were killed by clean plowing. That means, all of the cornstalks and other refuse in which borers spent the winter were completely covered.

Clean plowing, he explains, can be done by using jointers and wires on properly hitched and adjusted plows. Attach two 12 to 14-foot No. 9 size wires about 18 inches apart on the fore part of the plow beam and allow them to trail in the furrow. The trailing wires help keep the stalks down for a clean land surface. Corncocks and used fodder should be gathered up from around the farm buildings and burned or scattered on fields for plowing under.

## MINER IS KILLED

Johnstown, Pa., April 9 (AP)—Benito Policchio, 53, of Boswell, was killed when struck by a falling lump of coal yesterday. He was working in the Jenners mine of the Pittsburgh Consolidation Coal Co.



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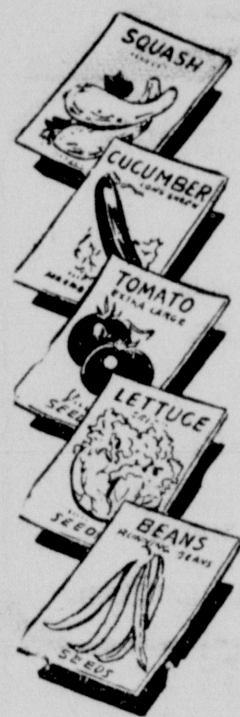
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## FARM CALENDAR

Good Construction Pays—The extra value and effort which went into well-constructed Pennsylvania farm buildings paid off during recent heavy snows and windstorms. J. R. Haswell, extension agricultural engineer at the Pennsylvania State College, observes that such buildings generally came through in good shape as contrasted with those of poor construction, many of which were reported damaged from the stress of wind or weight of snow.

Dairy Records Help—In breeding up a herd for better production, dairy herd improvement association records are an invaluable help for checking on performance of individual animals, points out Charles R. Gearhart, extension dairy specialist of the Pennsylvania State College. Herd test or private records also can be of value.

Get Lambs to Market—Since the first lambs to reach market may

bring the season's best prices, W. B. Connell, Penn State extension livestock specialist, reminds to get the lambs to market weight soon as possible.

Clean-up on Borers—Since corn borer moths can fly for miles, clean-ups of their over-winter shelters, such as cornstalks, should be organized by whole communities, says E. J. Udine, extension entomologist.

Arrange Farm Shop—Early spring is a good time to get into the farm shop to put it in order, suggests J. R. Haswell, extension agricultural engineer of the Pennsylvania State college. Hammers and axes, he says, should not only be kept in condition as aids to good workmanship, but also kept in their place in the interest of safety.

Look After Calves—Since it is impossible to correct mistakes that

were made when the cows were calves, proper calf feeding and management should receive all the attention they deserve, declares Joe S. Taylor, extension dairy specialist of the Pennsylvania State College.

Get Sawlogs to Market—Sawlogs cut during the late winter and early spring should be marketed no later than three or four months after cutting, says Frank T. Murphey, Penn State extension forester. Longer delays may result in logs checking badly, causing poor lumber.

Home Freezer Units—Home freezer units large enough to fit farm family needs average 5 to 7 cubic feet of storage space per person, say extension specialists of the Pennsylvania State College. A cubic foot holds about 30 to 35 pounds of food.

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FOR SALE: NEW IDEA MANURE spreader, tractor and horse hitched; corn elevator on truck with windlass to raise up and down; two wagons. Milton J. Myers, one mile from York Springs on Idaville road.

FOR SALE: AT SHEALER'S FURNITURE Store near 449 West Middle Street. Phone 47-Y Gettysburg. Three new living room suites. They are beautiful at a real price. 2 American Sun Flame oil burners at a bargain; folding cots at \$1.50 each; iron beds at \$3.50 and up; 10 breakfast sets from \$20.00 up.

FOR SALE: 300 GALLON "Friend" sprayer with 20 gallon pump, power take off. Howard Schriver, Phone Biglerville 13-R-6.

FOR SALE: RED CROSS TRIBUNE range with hot water back, also 30 gallon hot water tank with gas heater. Call John E. Brown, Fairfield 3-R-11.

FOR SALE: BALED WHEAT straw. Phone Biglerville 53-R-15.

FOR SALE: 150 GALLON SPRAYING running order. Mark Hartman, Biglerville, R. 2. Phone Biglerville 135-R-6.

FOR SALE: BOYS' 26 INCH Bicycle. \$15. Phone 292-W.

FOR SALE: TWO WHEEL TRAILER, deep body, stock rack to fit; also two bred girls, weigh 300 pounds each. Ralph Burket, Gettysburg, R. 2.

FOR SALE: SQUARE PIANO in good condition. Phone Biglerville 9-R-11.

FOR SALE: PHILCO RADIO, LIKE new. Phone Biglerville 57-R-3.

FOR SALE: POTATOES, WILLIAM Forsythe, Orlanna R. 1.

FOR SALE: ELECTRIC BROODER stove, used once, 500 size, works fine. Sell's Kennels, McKnightstown, Pa.

FOR SALE: FRESH GRADE Guernsey cow. E. W. Patterson, Baltimore Pike, two miles south White Church.

FOR SALE: USED STOKER, good working order. Phone 302-X after 5 o'clock.

## GIFTS, LOWER'S.

FOR SALE: FRESH COW WITH calf by her side. Phone 933-R-23.

FOR SALE: BABY CHICKS, LEG-HORN, New Hampshire Red, White Rock, and Hamp-Rock Crosses. Few Rocks and Reds started. Also turkey poulters 61 and 65 cents. Wagon Wheel and Hamilton Lion strain. Luther Cluck. Phone Biglerville 25-R-12.

FOR SALE: PAIR HORSES, JOHN Deere riding plow; three horse gasoline engine. Roy Carbaugh. Phone 947-R-32.

FOR SALE: NEW CHICKEN coops; hand made brooms. John P. R. 1, Gettysburg. Phone 922-R-2.

FOR SALE: ONE COAL, CAPACITY 500, and one electric capacity 1000 Buckeye brooder; 2 incubators. James A. Bolen, R. 2, Biglerville, Beecherstown.

FOR SALE: 2 1/2 SQUARES NEW slate. Call Zeal Peters, Aspers, R. 1.

FOR SALE: GRAIN DRILL, Crown, ten disc. Phone 945-R-12.

FOR SALE: COCKER SPANIEL puppies, AKC Reg. Blacks and reds. Phone Gettysburg 968-R-2.

FOR SALE: JUST RECEIVED A shipment of fine quality of assorted evergreens, also hydrangeas, azaleas, dog wood and magnolia trees, Norway maple trees, California hedge. On display at our home, one-half mile from Cashtown on Ardentsville road, or phone 942-R-23, Lincoln Way Nurseries, Biesacker Brothers.

FOR SALE: COLT, TWO YEARS old, unbroken. Apply after 5 p. m. Chester Smith, Route 16, between Zora and Jack Mountain roads.

FOR SALE: USED SIMMONS mattress, bed and spring. Used Airline radio. Apply 118 Carlisle Street.

FOR SALE: HOUSE RADIATOR, 19 inches high, 66 cubic feet. Apply Culp's Little Store, Carlisle St.

## LAUNDRY TUBS, LOWER'S.

FOR SALE: DIAMOND RING. Lady's solitaire, about 1/2 karat set in gold with side diamonds, \$180.00. Write, will send for examination dealers, Box "36," Gettysburg Times.

## PAINTS, LOWER'S.

FOR SALE: ONE BLACK FEMALE Cocker Spaniel, 5 1/2 months old. Registered. Housebroken. Phone 410.

PORTABLE SKILL SAW, LOWER'S.

FOR SALE: JOHN DEERE AND Pape hammmills now in stock. E. Donald Scott, rear 221 Baltimore Street, Gettysburg.

FIRE PLACE SCREENS, LOWER'S.

FOR SALE: GENERAL ELECTRIC ironer. Phone Biglerville 35-R-3.

PAPER AND CARTONS FOR frozen foods, LOWER'S.

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FOR SALE: FROST-PROOF CAB- bags plants. 53 Hanover Street, at Glenn Heller's, McKnightstown.

FOR SALE: TWO MILLION DOLLAR home starting batteries, one five-deck, one four-deck. Excellent condition. James P. Orner. Phone 942-R-4.

FOR SALE: OAK KITCHEN SET, good condition, \$20.00. 124 West Middle Street.

FOR SALE: PAIR MULES, ONE yearling, the other two years old. Phone 33-R-21, Fairfield.

## REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: HOMES OR BUILDING lots in new residential development. See P. W. Stallman, Real Estate Broker, Center Square, Gettysburg.

FOR SALE: DESIRABLE BUILDING lots, reasonable price. East York Street, Biglerville, adjoining borough inclusive. Call Howard E. W. Clayton Jester, Biglerville. Phone 55-R-2.

## WANTED TO BUY

WANTED: LIVE POULTRY OF all kinds. Leghorn broilers our specialty. Write P. A. Hassler, Spring Grove, Pa., or phone 22-R-2. E. S. Scherr, Inc.

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## WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT: UNFURNISHED apartment for occupancy June 1. Jim Hartzell, P. Lincoln Ave. Phone 427-W or 640.

WANTED TO RENT: APARTMENT, house, or room by veteran and wife, within 20 mile radius of Biglerville. Write Box 13, Times Office.

WANTED TO RENT: HOUSE WITH three bedrooms. William Martin. Phone 149-Z.

WANTED TO RENT: PROPERTY. Lawrence Kump, Gettysburg R. 4.

WANTED: TWO UNFURNISHED rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Write Box 34, Times Office.

## MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED: BAKER. GOOD POSITION, steady work. Apply to chef, Hotel Gettysburg.

WANTED: RELIABLE ENERGETIC salesman to contact for roofing and siding products. Gettysburg-Hanover territory, to represent large manufacturer. Good money maker for right man. Write Box 33, care Times.

ROUTE-MAN: IF YOU HAVE EXPERIENCE in laundry, dry-cleaning or similar business write us stating your qualifications, as we have a very good proposition for a business getter in this and surrounding territory. Write Box 35, care Times Office.

WANTED: MAN FOR LANDSCAPE work, farm or landscape experience preferred but not necessary. Charles B. Tilton, Florida Dale, Pa. Telephone Biglerville 52-R-4.

MEN FOR FINISHING AND RUBBER department. Apply Reaser Furniture Company Office.

WANTED: MAN AS BARTENDER, and wife to assist with tavern work. To live on premises. Apply Times Office.

WANTED: FARM HAND, SINGLE man to go ahead with the work, drive a tractor. Good wages. Carrie Vaughn. Phone Gettysburg 939-R-5.

DRIVER, STEADY, RELIABLE, for laundry truck. Apply in person. Gettysburg Laundry, 49 Steinwehr Avenue.

## FEMALE HELP WANTED

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WANTED: WAITRESS, DELUXE Restaurant.

GIRLS OR WOMEN FOR ALL kinds of work in laundry; high wages and bonus for good workers. Gettysburg Laundry.

WANTED: WAITRESS AND clerk. Apply Sweetland.

WANTED: WOMAN FOR HOUSE-work, and to assist with care of sick woman. H. W. Peters, Aspers.

WANTED: GIRL TO DO HOUSE-work and care for baby. Hours 9 to 4:30, good wages. Call 479-X.

## HELP WANTED

WANTED DISHWASHER, GREY-hound Post House.

SUBSCRIPTION SALESMAN OR woman, to sell popular farm paper; car needed; top commissions; exclusive territory. Circulation Manager, The Rural New-Yorker, 333 West 30th Street, New York, 1, N. Y.

WANTED: MALE OR FEMALE to operate steam press on men's and ladies' garments. Apply Eddie's Cleaners, 10 East King Street, Littlestown.

WANTED: DISHWASHER. Thompson's Restaurant.

## POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED: AS OPERATOR in local beauty shop. Phone 205-W.

YOUNG COUPLE WANT WORK as operator of local dairy farm. Peter Warrenfeltz, Rear 103, McAllister St., Hanover, Pa.

WANTED: GARDEN PLOWING. Apply 119 E. Middle St., or call 124-Y.

WANTED: POSITION AS OPERATOR in beauty shop. Phone Biglerville 16-R-23.

## USED CARS FOR SALE

USED CARS AND TRUCKS: 42 Buick convertible, 42 Packard convertible, 34 Chevrolet, 34 Ford, 36 Plymouth sedan, 40 International pick-up, 40 GMC pick-up, 36 Ford panel, four tractor, and trailers one Chevrolet dump truck. Phone 651-Y. E. L. Smith Garage, South Washington Street, Gettysburg.

FOR SALE: 1935 DODGE PANEL truck good condition; also small brooder house newly built. G. Walter Trostle, one mile from York Springs along Idaville road.

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FOR SALE: 74 INDIAN MOTOR-cycle, excellent condition. Merrill Topper, Mummastown.

FOR SALE: NEW FORD FERGUSON tractor and plows. J. W. Hilliard, 3 miles out Baltimore Pike.

## LOST

LOST: REWARD (LIBERAL). Small Boston Terrier, sprayed female, brindle with white markings, answers to name of "Penny." License tag Sharon, Connecticut. Telegraph collect to Mrs. Elmer Hosier, Lakeville, Conn.

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HAVE YOUR CHIMNEYS CLEANED. Trees removed and trimmed. Woodward Brothers, 698 South Washington Street.

## PRESBYTERIAN

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was held after the general meeting and Mrs. Scott invited the new and retiring executive boards to her home for "an evening of fun" April 22.

Refreshments after Tuesday's meeting were served by a committee headed by Mrs. Anna Plank. Mrs. John K. Lott, who with Mrs. Plank was co-chairman of a circle for the last two years, conducted the devotions.

## The Strange Returning

By Cameron Dockery

AP Newsfeatures

## Chapter 27

Jeff followed Coulter outside. He stood on the porch watching the car move off. The glaring headlights picked out cactus and sagebrush either side of the road and the glassy staring eyes of a fascinated jack rabbit. It was only when the twilight had become a scarlet pin prick that he turned. Linda had come up beside him.

She moved back and closed the door shutting out the rectangle of light from the adobe. When she looked up at him her face was illuminated only by the starlight.

"You know Jeff, that man affects me like a snake. I have the feeling he's going to lash out unexpectedly with some venomous action that will be just as deadly as a rattler's fangs."

His arm went around her drawing her close. The sweet fragrance of her hair came up to him and he bent his head, thrusting his chin into the circle of her braids.

"Linda, I want you and your father to leave here tomorrow."

"Jeff!" She twisted in his arms. "Please," he insisted, "Coulter means business this time. He has men and guns to back him up and except for the Gentrys three miles away, we're more or less isolated here."

Jeff's shirt was open at the throat and Linda gripped the lapels and pulled his head down. "I love you Jeff, don't you realize that? I want to be with you."

"I don't want you around when there may be shooting."

"I've been in the war—I've heard gunfire and attended wounded men for weeks on end. I'm not afraid."

His fingers closed on her wrists lowering her arms gently to her sides.

"There's your father—he isn't well. This sort of thing might—might—"

Even in that indistinct light he could see the quick misery in her eyes but she didn't turn away.

"Don't want to go any more than I do, Jeff. We're all one family now. Your house has been our home for the past year—more of a home I think, than any other place we've lived. If it's going to be defended, we want to help."

His mouth twisted wryly. "We'll talk about it some more tomorrow."

She was silent and he pulled her to him again, bending his head until their lips met. This was not the hastily snatched kiss of two light-hearted young people but the sealing of a pact that bound them together for eternity. Jeff's voice was husky with emotion when he spoke.

"Linda, Linda—"

"What is it Jeff?"

"I'm thinking that I really owe that skunk, Coulter, a vote of thanks. If he hadn't decided to grab some easy money by renting my house, I'd never have met you."

"Something would have brought us together."

His mood changed to a lighter vein. "Well, I'm almost convinced now that you're worth all this trouble."

She laughed and prodded him into the house. Mr. Hardy was seated before the fire staring into the flames as though he could find a solution to the immediate problem in the swiftly changing shapes and colors given off by the greasewood.

"Jeff," he said, "This whole thing

would be settled if you could find the deed to this place, wouldn't it?"

"Yes. Even if Coulter wouldn't accept it, I'd just have to show it to the right officials and get a writ against him."

"Well it must be around. Your father mentioned he'd hidden it and unless Coulter found and destroyed it, it still exists somewhere."

"But we've looked everywhere we could think of."

Hardy's eyes were the same piercing blue as Linda's when he looked up. "Do you still have your father's last letter?"

Jeff nodded slowly. "Yes, I've kept it here in my wallet."

"Would you mind letting me see it?"

"Of course not," Jeff removed the worn creased letter and handed it to Mr. Hardy who began to read it softly aloud.

"May 10, 1941: 4 p.m. Dear Son, I have just returned from a walk up to The Finger. I was up there quite awhile thinking of old Amos and of you and our bit of land here. I've been digging a tunnel into the ridge that marks the southwest boundary of our land. Jeff, I'm convinced now that our property may have some value, though I have only a few samples to go on at present."

"But hang onto it son, until you get an assay report from an authority. I've been having some trouble with my heart lately and because something may happen to me while you're away at college, I've taken all our papers and hidden them—more about that later."

"I don't trust—"

The letter ended abruptly and Hardy frowned.

Jeff leaned over his shoulder. "You see sir, Dad must have had his heart attack just then and he never finished his letter."

"It does seem as though he could have scrawled the place where he'd hidden the papers though. He must have known you wouldn't know."

"No, I don't think he'd have wanted to then. He knew Coulter or some of the men who owed their jobs to him might find the letter first."

"Maybe he thought he'd already written enough to tell you."

Jeff stared. "But he says so little."

"Does he? Look at that heading, Jeff. He'd always put the time of day on his letters."

"No, that was unusual."

"I think it had a purpose. He says he'd just returned from The Finger, a name that meant something to you and your father alone. Everyone else knows it by the name of Indian Rock."

Jeff grew taut with excitement.

"My Lord, sir, I'll bet you've hit it! Say he was there at three, the shadow of the Finger would point to a certain spot on the desert. The papers would be buried there!"

"Of course the time of year would make a difference in the shadow."

Jeff's eyes became obsidian with amazement. "Tomorrow is May 10th, sir—exactly years since Dad wrote that letter!"

(To be continued)

## COUPLE TO WED

A marriage license was issued Tuesday afternoon at the court house to Robert A. Bunty, McSherrystown and Ethel M. Altland, daughter of Mrs. Lloyd Altland, Hanover.

## MARKETS

Market prices at the Gettysburg warehouse and the Erie Co-Op Association corrected daily as follows:

Gettysburg Grain-Eggs	
EGGS	
Lake Whites	52
Large Browns	48
Medium Whites	46
Medium Browns	46
Pullet	46
Ducks	55
GRAIN PRICES	
Wheat	\$2.50
Oats	.87
Barley	1.20

## Baltimore Fruit-Poultry

APPLES—Mt. Dell, N. J., Pa., Va., bu. and Eastern etc., some U. S. 1's, some no grade mark. Delicious including Stark Delicious, 2 1/2 in. 4 1/2; 2 1/2 in. and 4 1/2 in. 4.50, fair qual. and cond., \$3.25—3.50; 2 1/2 in. 4.25, smaller \$1.25; Golden Delicious, 2 1/2 in. 4.25, fair qual. and cond., \$3.50—3.75; Rome, 3 in. \$3.25—3.75; 2 1/2 in. \$3.25; 2 1/2 in. \$3—3.75; 2 1/2 in. Utility, \$2—2.25; Stayman, 2 1/2 in. fair qual. and cond., \$1.50; Winesap, 2 1/2 in. \$4.25—4.50; Ben Davis, 2 1/2 in. \$2; Gano, 2 1/2 in. \$3.25; Boxes, N. J., wipol, Stayman's, 80%, red, qual. and cond., \$2.50—2.75, with culls down to \$2.

## Baltimore Livestock

CATTLE—General trade slow, steady to weak on small scattering of cattle offered. One lot good mixed yearlings, \$29; few head common and medium cows, \$12—12.50, and a few canners and cutters, \$8—11.50.

CALVES—Veal and calf trade slow and mostly 1's lower. Good and choice 150 to 220 pounds vealers, \$21—25, with some selected choice at \$26. Common and medium grades ranging from \$9—16, with culls down to \$2.

HOGS—Prices \$1 lower. Truck lots arriving fairly freely at midmorning. Good and choice 120-140 pounds, \$23—25.25; 140-160 pounds, \$24—24.25; 160-180 pounds, \$25—25.25; 180-220 pounds, \$26.25—26.50; 220-250 pounds, \$25.50—25.75; 250-300 pounds, \$24.50—24.75; 300-350 pounds, \$23.50—23.75; 350 pounds up, \$22.50—22.75. Good and choice cubs, \$10.50—10.75.

SHEEP—Slaughter lambs in very meager supply and about steady. Few head good



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## BUSINESS BOOM MAY CONTINUE THREE MONTHS

(By The Associated Press)

The outlook is that the current record-breaking business boom in the United States will continue for at least another three months.

After that, the much discussed recession may come. It is far from a certainty, however. And if it does come, the recession need not lead to a depression.

Many economists and business leaders expect a recession will attain stature this summer. They say the economy is getting too far out of kilter; that many prices are too high, and that inventories are getting too great as consumers tighten their buying.

**Sales Levelling Off**

There already are indications of a levelling off in retail sales, the Easter season being especially disappointing.

This is the essence of a survey made by the Associated Press across the country at the close of 1947's first quarter. It sums up the thinking of business leaders and high-ranking economists in government, industry and labor, and factual information culled from key American business centers.

Labor difficulties could upset the predictions. A prolonged closing of the coal mines, more strikes like the telephone walkout, could affect the national scene. Wage negotiations in important industries are pending which might lead to strikes, curtailing production and disrupting the economic time-table.

**Little Gloom**

When a recession may come, how long it might last, and how severe it might be are all questions for the future to answer. Economists disagree, except that most expect something of the sort this year. A minority feel that both high prices and high wages can be maintained without a recession.

There is little gloom surrounding the recession talk. Such a period of readjustment would be normal after the present post-war boom. It

## Charge Motorists With Violations

Paul L. Plank, Jr., Gettysburg R. 1 has been charged by state police before Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore with passing on the crest of a grade.

Clarence Herbert Bumbaugh, Lancaster, has been charged by state police before Justice W. D. Brown, Straban township, with driving too fast for conditions.

George B. Aspinwall, Catonsville, Md., has been charged before Justice Gerald Orndorff, Oxford township, by state police, with passing on the crest of a grade.

## CHURCHES ADD NEW MEMBERS

At a recent service at St. Paul's Lutheran church, Elizaville, the following were received into church membership: Mrs. Thomas Cleaver, Mrs. Pierce Mellott, Vera Mellott, Walter R. Mellott, Mrs. Richard Rice, Mrs. Roy Hess, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Noel, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Eckert, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mummert, Mr. and George C. Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwartz.

At a baptismal service Easter Sunday afternoon, Jean Marie, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Heiges, of Washington, D. C., was baptized by her uncle, Rev. Donald R. Heiges, of New York city, assisted by the Rev. Henry W. Sternat, pastor of St. Paul's church.

At a service at Bender's Lutheran church held Friday evening the following were received into membership: Mrs. Richard Ditzler, Mrs. Annie L. Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene W. Herring, Mr. and Mrs.

could be a healthful phase, a period of making the nation's economy ship-shape, after which there could be continued prosperity and a continued rise in the standard of living.

But for now, business charts remain heavily weighted with factors favorable to a continuation in the second quarter of trends which made the first three months of 1947 outstandingly good.

## PAST GRANDS MEET MONDAY

The 163rd meeting of the Past Grands association of the Odd Fellows of Adams county was held Monday evening at Littlestown with the following as host: Edward F. Hawk, Littlestown, presided. After the singing of "America," the invocation was given by the Rev. Frank Reynolds, pastor of Redeemer's Reformed church of Littlestown, and the address of welcome was given by W. D. Sheely of Littlestown. E. A. Seabrook, Fairfield, responded.

A letter was read from Harry T. Stauffer, association president, who is spending some time in Puerto Rico. The roll call of lodges revealed an attendance of 69, exactly equalling the March attendance figure when the meeting was held in Gettysburg.

The entertainment program for the evening included accordion duets by Hilda Klinefelter and Ella Shoemaker. They played "Moonlight and Roses," "On Vacation," and "Moorish Eyes." There was a saxophone solo by Glenn L. Bair accompanied by Marian Bankert.

Speaker for the evening was the Rev. Mr. Reynolds. He spoke of his experiences during three and a half years as a chaplain in the armed forces. He stated that in the army he found 96 per cent of the soldiers

Lloyd Herring, Jr., Jerry J. Spence, Calvin E. Heintzelman, Ralph Bream and Mrs. William Mauss.

A baptismal service was held at the church Easter Sunday at which time the following children received the rite of baptism: Shirley O'Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin E. Heintzelman, Linda Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Bream, and Gary Lear, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene W. Herring.

## Newlyweds Honored At Dinner Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keller entertained at a turkey dinner Easter Sunday at their home in Orrtanna in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Delroy Keller who were recently married.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Delroy Keller, Miss Madeline Diehl, Curtin McGlaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Ornan Rebert, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Ruhl Rebert, Evelyn Miller, Anna Mae Rebert, Janice Rebert, Stevie Rebert, Ronald and Richard Hess, Stanley Rebert, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keller.

were Christian, three per cent Jewish and one per cent non-professing.

The meeting closed with the singing of one stanza of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." The Rev. Mr. Reynolds pronounced the benediction. The next meeting will be held with the York Springs lodge on May 1.

The real name of the French writer, Voltaire, was Francois Marie Arouet.

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Louisville, Ky. . . . 9.85	Morefield, W. Va. . . . 6.55
Bangor, Me. . . . 11.35	Rochester, N. Y. . . . 7.05
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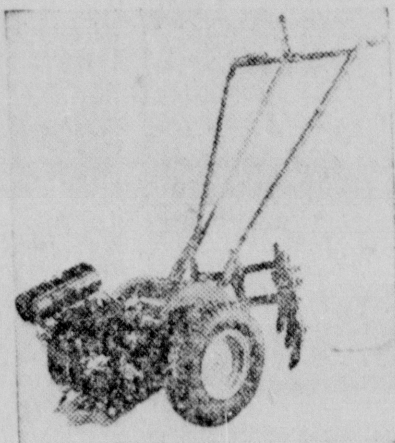
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